

June 1945

Librarian,
Public Library,
Detroit, Mich.,
95 U. S. A.

Volume XX

Number 6

CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND COMMERCE

DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

BUSINESS STATISTICS BRANCH

MONTHLY REVIEW

OF

BUSINESS STATISTICS

JUNE 1945

Published by Authority of the Hon. James A. MacKinnon, M.P.,
Minister of Trade and Commerce



OTTAWA
EDMOND CLOUTIER
PRINTER TO THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
1945

Price: One Dollar per year

SUMMARY OF CONTENTS

I. Analytical and General

	PAGE
Economic Conditions in Canada.....	3, 5, 7
Chart of Factors Indicating Trend of Investment Expenditures.....	4
1. Business Indexes.....	6
2. Business by Economic Areas.....	8
Economic Conditions in Canada (French).....	9, 11, 13
3. Weekly Indicators of Economic Activity.....	10, 12
4. Automobile Entries.....	12
5. Commercial Failures by Branches of Business.....	12
6. Failures.....	12

II. Production

7. Receipts and Visible Supply of Grain.....	14
8. Sales and Slaughtering of Live Stock.....	14
9. Cold Storage Holdings at First of the Month.....	14
10. Fish Caught and Landed.....	14
11. Mineral Production.....	15
12. Output of Central Electric Stations.....	15
13. General Manufactures.....	16

III. Construction

14. Contracts Awarded.....	17
15. Building Permits.....	18

IV. Internal Trade

16. Indexes of Retail and Wholesale Sales.....	19
17. Automobile Financing.....	19

V. External Trade

18. External Trade excluding Gold.....	19
19. Imports by Countries.....	20
20. Summary of Imports.....	21
21. Exports by Countries.....	22
22. Summary of Exports.....	23

VI. Transportation

23. Canal Cargo Traffic.....	23
24. Railway Freight Loaded.....	24, 25
25. Railway Operating Statistics.....	25

VII. Employment

26. Unadjusted Indexes of Employment.....	26
27. Seasonally Adjusted Indexes of Employment.....	27
28. Other Labour Factors, Vital Statistics and Immigration.....	27
29. Employment and Earnings.....	28
30. Unadjusted Employment in Cities.....	28
31. Employment and Earnings.....	29
32. Per Capita Weekly Earnings.....	30
33. Aggregate Weekly Payrolls.....	31

VIII. Prices

34. Index Numbers of Cost of Living.....	32
35. Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices.....	32
36. Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices by Sub-Groups.....	33
37. Prices of Representative Commodities.....	34
38. Index Numbers of Security Prices.....	34

IX. Finance

39. Assets and Liabilities of the Bank of Canada.....	35
40. Equation of Exchange.....	35
41. Canadian Chartered Banks.....	36
42. Bank Debits.....	37
43. Dominion Government Revenues and Expenditures.....	38
44. Stock Market Transactions and Bond Financing.....	39

X. Other Countries

45. Wholesale Prices.....	39
46. Statistics of the United States.....	40, 41
47. Statistics of the United Kingdom.....	42
List of Current Publications of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.....	43

MONTHLY REVIEW OF BUSINESS STATISTICS

Vol. XX

OTTAWA, JUNE, 1945

No. 6

DOMINION STATISTICIAN: S. A. CUDMORE, M. A. (OXON.); F.S.S., F.R.S.C.
CHIEF, BUSINESS STATISTICS BRANCH: SYDNEY B. SMITH, M.A.

ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN MAY

The rise in the average of six strategic economic factors in May over the preceding month was mainly due to the increase in the deposit liabilities of the chartered banks. The advance in common stock prices was continued in the month under review, an upward trend having been shown since mid-year 1942. Wholesale and Dominion bond prices were steady in May, the general index of commodity prices having shown remarkable stability since the later months of 1943. Speculative trading on the Stock Exchanges continued at a high level, while recession was shown in productive operations.

The index of the physical volume of business recorded recession in May in contrast to the minor advances of the two preceding months. The trend has been downward since the early months of 1944 when the historical maximum was reached. The general index of employment showed further recession at the beginning of April when there had been a decline for four consecutive months. The historical maximum was reached at the first of December, 1943. The recession during 1944 was of a decidedly minor character but the industrial labour force at the present time is somewhat below the extremely high levels obtaining around the beginning of last year. The national income, on a tentative footing, which had been \$3,712 million in the first five months of 1944 receded to \$3,618 million in the same period of the present year. The decline, consequently, was limited to 2.5 p.c.

Agriculture

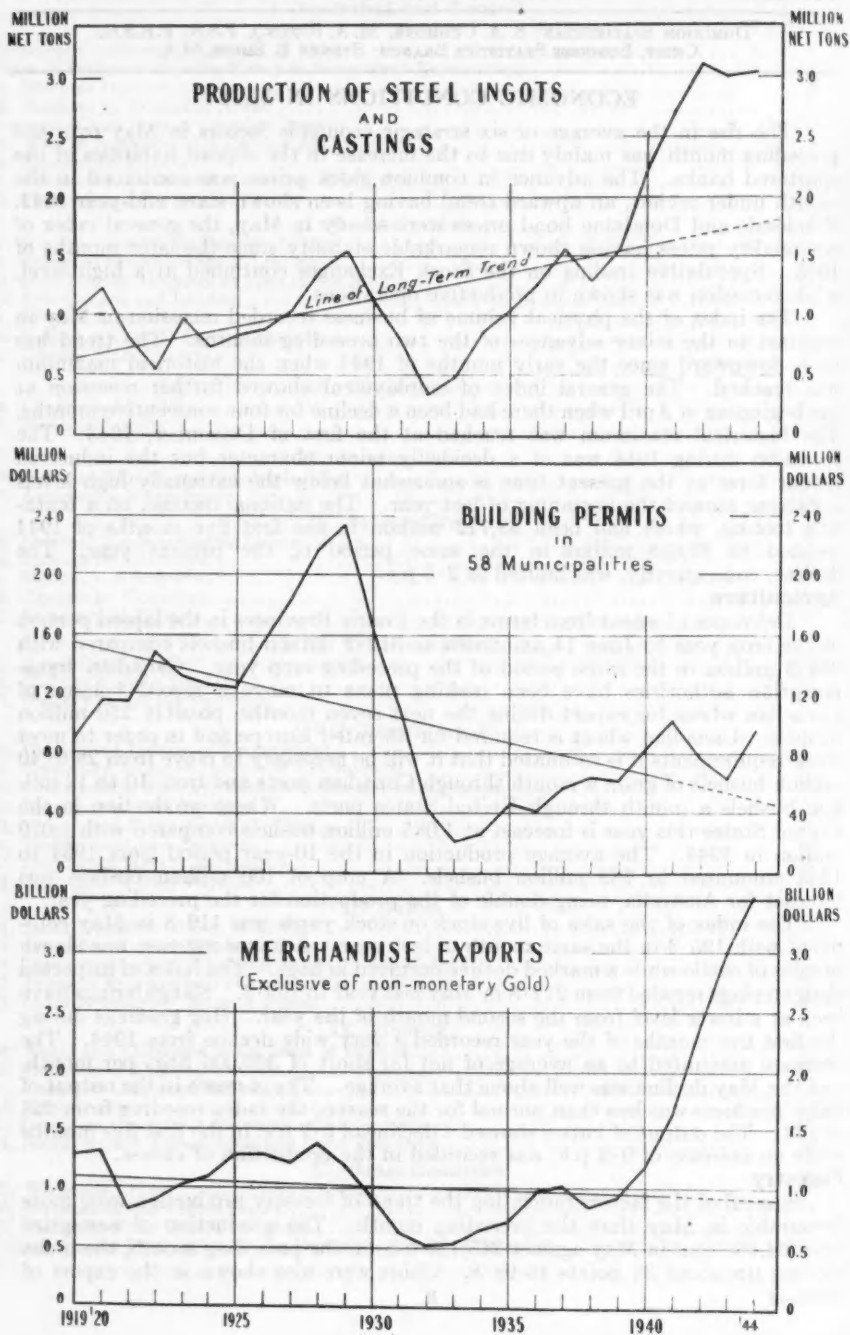
Deliveries of wheat from farms in the Prairie Provinces in the lapsed portion of the crop year to June 14 amounted to 312.2 million bushels compared with 254.3 million in the same period of the preceding crop year. Canadian transportation authorities have been making plans to move a record volume of Canadian wheat for export during the next seven months, possibly 250 million bushels. Canadian wheat is required for liberated Europe and in order to meet these requirements it is estimated that it will be necessary to move from 28 to 40 million bushels of grain a month through Canadian ports and from 10 to 12 million bushels a month through United States ports. Wheat production in the United States this year is forecast at 1,085 million bushels compared with 1,079 million in 1944. The average production in the 10-year period from 1934 to 1943 amounted to 789 million bushels. A crop of 100 million bushels was forecast for Australia, being double of the production for the preceding year.

The index of the sales of live stock on stock yards was 119.8 in May compared with 125.3 in the same month of last year. A minor increase was shown in sales of cattle while a marked decline occurred in hogs. The index of inspected slaughterings receded from 212.8 in May last year to 150.3. Slaughterings have been at a lower level from the second month of the year. Hog gradings during the first five months of the year recorded a very wide decline from 1944. The decrease amounted to an average of not far short of 300,000 hogs per month, and the May decline was well above that average. The increase in the output of dairy products was less than normal for the season, the index receding from 223 to 162. The output of butter showed a decline of 0.7 p.c. in the first five months while an increase of 9.2 p.c. was recorded in the production of cheese.

Forestry

Several of the factors indicating the trend of forestry production were more favourable in May than the preceding month. The production of newsprint was 264,464 tons in May against 245,429 tons in the preceding month, the index moving up about 3½ points to 98.8. Gains were also shown in the export of

FACTORS INDICATING THE TREND OF INVESTMENT EXPENDITURES



woodpulp and shingles while the export of planks and boards showed contra-seasonal recession. It was announced that Canadian mills will increase its monthly supply of newsprint to the United States from 200,000 to 220,000 tons a month beginning July 1. It was also announced that paper shipments from Canada and the United States to Europe would be stopped and that European publishers would be supplied entirely with Scandinavian newsprint.

Electric Power

During the first four months of the present year, the total output of the central electric stations was 13,668,000,000 kilowatt hours compared with 13,619,000,000 in the same period last year. Water turbine installations have increased from 143,156 horsepower in 1900 to 10,283,763 horsepower at the latest date for which statistics are available. The war has demonstrated the strength of Canada as an industrial country and the wide and favorable distribution of water-power resources and the versatility of low-cost hydro-electric power developed from these resources has been vital in making such an industrial position possible. In the post-war period, water power should continue as an outstanding factor in the future development of the country's resources. In 1944 a net increase of 69,250 horsepower in hydro-electric development was recorded, wartime expansion in facilities having been completed in previous years.

Manufacturing

The decline in manufacturing production, according to the index, was 9.4 p.c. from the first four months of 1944. The index of manufacturing employment receded 5.6 p.c. in the same comparison, prices of manufactured goods having been a trifle higher. Wheat flour production in the first quarter was 8,284 thousand barrels compared with 8,345 thousand in the same period of last year. The output in April was the highest ever recorded for that month.

Operations of the Canadian cotton mills in May were somewhat below the same month of last year. The monthly bale openings at 33,159 were 7.3 p.c. less. For the first five months of the year total bale openings at 167,205 showed a reduction of 5.6 p.c. Activity in the secondary iron and steel industry showed recession in the latest available month. The increases in the output of steel ingots and of pig iron over the first four months of 1944 were 6.2 p.c. and 2.4 p.c. respectively.

Transportation

The gross operating revenue of the Canadian National Railway was \$174.2 million in the first five months of the present year against \$176.2 million in the same period of 1944. The total for the Canadian Pacific Railway during the same period was \$186.7 million compared with \$187.9 million last year. The revenue of the Canadian National Railway showed a gain in May over the same month of last year while a decline of 2.5 p.c. was shown in the earnings of the Canadian Pacific.

Finance

Current loans of the chartered banks amounted to \$1,023 million at the end of April compared with \$867 million on the same date of last year. The security holdings of the banks which had been \$3,390 million last year rose to \$3,504 million at the end of April this year. Previous to the offering of each war loan, total deposits in Canadian chartered banks have set successive new records and each war loan has established a new record in the total amount of money raised. The monthly statement of the banks as at April 30 showed total notice and demand deposits at a new all-time high of \$4,848 million, exceeding by \$189 million the previous record set at the end of March, this year, and exceeding the year ago comparison by \$606 million.

Dominion income tax and customs and excise collections yielded a total of \$263.6 million in May, a decline of \$3.7 million compared with the same month of 1944. Income tax collections at \$151.6 million showed a recession of \$26.5 million largely as a result of the refundable portion being no longer collected. The customs-excise revenue of \$112 million represented an increase of \$22.8 million.

I. Analytical and General

I. BUSINESS INDEXES, 1935-39=100, SUBJECT TO REVISION

Index	1944										1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May		
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED															
Physical Volume of Business...	241.6	238.8	232.2	233.1	231.0	225.0	237.9	232.0	238.8	216.7	224.2	232.2	215.6		
Industrial Production.....	272.3	266.8	262.1	263.5	260.4	259.7	255.4	256.0	245.8	240.3	248.0	252.2	238.0		
Mineral Production.....	228.8	225.5	225.4	214.5	205.5	208.9	191.7	289.3	174.0	147.9	173.5	183.2	188.9		
Gold, mint receipts.....	78.3	82.4	68.2	71.2	68.0	63.2	71.6	87.8	60.9	63.5	63.1	70.2	74.2		
Coal production.....	131.6	124.0	123.2	138.0	109.6	91.3	99.2	100.7	113.6	120.0	124.5	139.2	119.7		
Manufacturing.....	297.3	292.2	287.6	291.5	284.5	285.8	284.7	283.7	274.9	270.0	271.1	271.1	256.1		
Crop Products.....	163.4	151.2	147.1	156.3	160.4	162.4	167.1	174.3	197.6	195.6	194.0	192.6	180.8		
Flour production.....	157.0	168.6	149.2	158.3	143.6	125.9	137.7	203.9	202.6	197.1	195.7	195.8	.....	
Onmeal production.....	468.8	556.9	135.7	109.5	107.4	63.1	23.3	143.6	267.4	230.7	227.0	242.7	.....	
Tobacco.....	155.3	149.8	131.5	178.5	185.0	188.7	199.9	219.8	263.4	250.7	252.7	215.9	.....	
Cigar releases.....	158.2	131.6	108.2	124.2	129.5	123.7	132.9	180.9	239.8	252.7	215.9	188.8	156.9		
Cigarette releases.....	155.0	151.3	123.4	182.9	189.4	194.0	205.3	222.9	265.2	250.4	237.7	240.0	209.0		
Animal Products.....	151.2	148.4	146.7	125.2	142.9	129.3	200.5	181.9	157.6	144.9	147.7	185.3	134.0		
Inspected slaughterings.....	212.8	198.7	187.3	175.8	166.9	169.4	208.1	214.3	212.4	193.0	156.2	171.1	150.3		
Cattle.....	124.3	120.6	127.4	130.7	125.7	125.7	259.6	200.7	191.0	175.9	164.2	154.6	136.4		
Sheep.....	129.1	63.9	68.1	106.4	112.1	77.4	127.4	161.6	167.2	180.0	115.3	74.7	67.8		
Hogs.....	285.5	265.9	229.7	207.1	193.7	207.7	249.6	227.4	231.1	206.5	188.7	165.0	.....	
Creamery butter.....	123.5	116.2	111.4	114.2	114.6	112.5	120.8	119.2	121.8	126.7	137.2	135.5	121.3		
Factory cheese.....	208.4	183.8	128.0	137.4	135.8	151.5	203.0	259.1	164.7	162.7	224.9	356.7	225.6		
Boots and shoes production.....	136.0	143.3	129.5	124.6	128.1	149.0	212.4	99.1	193.3	155.1	142.0	141.5	.....	
Textiles.....	139.0	124.5	130.9	129.5	121.0	133.0	134.4	128.2	129.5	126.5	133.6	128.4	132.5		
Cotton consumption.....	142.8	124.5	111.5	121.4	118.7	123.0	139.7	122.6	127.7	130.3	141.1	119.1	130.0		
Forestry.....	119.2	121.1	112.6	121.9	116.4	128.8	124.6	126.1	116.8	127.3	137.7	118.5	123.5		
Newsprint.....	99.0	97.0	95.4	102.1	99.7	95.6	97.7	100.8	110.7	109.9	110.1	95.3	98.8		
Iron and steel.....	602.8	580.1	582.9	586.2	574.8	573.3	558.0	147.4	532.4	516.0	513.5	514.8	482.1		
Steel production.....	231.0	230.2	215.1	227.6	238.5	259.3	251.7	619.0	225.9	217.7	216.4	218.7	234.7		
Pig-iron production.....	241.0	236.0	260.4	218.7	218.7	271.7	222.9	293.0	207.7	221.6	225.6	231.6	214.0		
Non-metallic minerals.....	152.4	162.6	183.9	161.3	158.7	162.4	150.2	165.2	181.7	164.8	182.0	189.3	150.8		
Coke production.....	176.0	170.4	171.3	176.3	177.0	161.5	160.6	153.6	156.5	159.4	160.4	162.9	167.0		
Construction.....	123.3	124.9	111.9	90.1	102.7	109.2	89.5	121.0	96.0	107.7	166.2	205.2	100.0		
Contracts awarded.....	118.2	124.0	106.9	80.5	92.8	102.3	82.1	90.0	95.3	101.1	147.2	190.4	148.2		
Building permits.....	142.9	128.7	131.6	125.3	141.9	136.8	119.0	125.0	98.5	133.9	242.0	240.8	207.2		
Cost of construction.....	139.4	138.3	139.2	137.8	137.4	140.9	140.5	139.7	138.4	140.0	141.0	140.1	134.3		
Electric power.....	165.0	160.2	154.8	163.4	152.4	182.4	148.5	144.7	151.6	150.1	54.2	165.5	165.4		
Distribution	178.6	180.8	170.3	170.1	170.3	162.4	171.1	185.5	193.7	167.7	177.9	190.7	178.6		
Carloadings.....	157.4	152.9	147.2	143.0	126.0	125.1	140.5	143.2	151.8	147.5	149.2	148.7	153.5		
Tons carried.....	219.9	220.0	180.9	194.7	153.6	139.7	164.0	183.3	191.6	192.8	197.5	215.3	221.4		
Imports.....	160.4	170.9	177.3	190.1	168.2	184.3	189.3	180.1	190.3	162.0	161.4	162.4	145.2		
Exports.....	354.1	375.9	306.8	286.6	286.2	290.1	289.7	268.6	281.3	295.9	369.6	381.4	330.6		
Grain and Live Stock															
Marketings.....	217.6	270.4	261.7	181.7	81.6	110.7	123.4	167.7	255.1	142.8	129.0	238.9	177.5		
Grain marketings ¹	238.5	307.8	420.6	94.8	76.0	111.1	135.0	168.9	278.0	143.1	128.4	200.3	190.8		
Wheat.....	269.1	455.4	633.6	100.2	83.2	122.3	212.7	245.8	376.0	193.8	186.0	309.0	246.9		
Oats.....	1099.0	632.3	772.0	458.1	302.5	251.7	124.7	283.4	889.3	460.8	312.5	935.4	862.5		
Live Stock Marketings.....	125.3	108.3	106.0	122.0	101.6	106.9	126.7	162.5	155.8	141.4	131.6	106.8	119.8		
Cattle.....	122.7	109.6	107.0	131.5	94.9	101.6	125.1	181.0	171.4	159.2	145.3	113.7	125.9		
Calves.....	101.3	85.3	87.4	107.6	77.1	90.2	86.2	109.4	103.0	84.7	97.8	111.9	111.4		
Hogs.....	165.6	133.3	127.0	155.4	136.4	144.1	139.9	127.3	129.1	114.7	117.3	102.6	120.0		
Sheep.....	58.5	47.9	57.3	109.9	105.9	109.4	176.7	164.0	157.0	114.8	80.8	54.7	79.0		
Cold Storage Holdings²	241.1	197.3	187.1	175.7	173.9	181.4	199.7	199.1	195.2	203.9	207.1	235.4	217.5		
Butter.....	221.0	115.5	102.5	99.7	102.1	105.0	104.9	110.6	111.3	115.0	159.9	294.5	255.2		
Cheese.....	205.0	180.2	155.6	135.0	143.9	137.5	155.0	148.2	127.4	115.8	112.3	163.5	248.1		
Beef.....	103.2	174.4	153.3	176.5	161.5	181.1	127.6	161.9	168.2	176.1	180.3	147.8	123.4		
Pork.....	206.9	196.5	168.8	153.6	154.2	173.4	158.6	141.5	130.6	113.7	143.8	151.6	133.8		
Mutton.....	324.0	385.5	371.4	370.6	162.0	75.1	76.4	83.6	94.6	86.8	84.3	75.1	80.8		
Poultry.....	223.1	246.9	252.2	336.5	437.5	460.7	250.6	166.7	156.9	135.2	117.3	114.8	114.2		
Lard.....	542.1	563.7	496.0	507.1	355.2	246.5	230.1	195.5	157.8	128.7	102.4	81.7	68.0		
Veal.....	169.4	192.7	196.1	197.3	178.7	164.3	160.0	152.0	154.3	138.1	162.5	186.6	165.0		
Percentage of Unemployment³	-33	-21	-20	-24	-26	-38	-61	-87	1.24	1.34	1.23	-87	-75		

¹Receipts at country Elevators. ²First of following month. ³Percentage of recorded unemployment among persons insured under Unemployment Insurance. ⁴Revised.

Total sales in Canada's eighth Victory Loan campaign reached a record total of \$1,568,927,350, the objective having been \$1,350,000,000. An increase of \$51.3 million was shown over the previous record total reached in the seventh Loan drive when the objective was \$1,300,000,000. Purchases by individuals were \$836.3 million or \$69.9 million more than during the seventh loan. The average purchase of all individuals was \$263.6, an increase of \$31.4 over the last loan. Purchases by large buyers, including corporations, totalled \$732.6 million.

National Expenditures

Investment expenditures consist mainly of construction, the purchase of producer's durables, the international credit balance and the change in inventories. The chart on page 4 illustrates the long-term trend of three factors bearing on investment expenditures, the movement being shown for the output of steel ingots, building permits in 58 municipalities and merchandise exports exclusive of non-monetary gold.

Construction contracts awarded in the first five months of 1945 amounted to \$116.9 million against \$115.4 million in the same period of last year. Awards in May amounted to \$38.3 million compared with \$31.7 million in the same month last year. Contracts placed in April and May were in excess of the levels established last year.

During the first five months of 1945, exports of merchandise produced in Canada were valued at \$1,395.5 million compared with \$1,403 million in the same period of 1944, a decline of one-half of one per cent. Agricultural exports headed the list with a May total of \$176.9 million compared with about \$91 million in May last year.

Retail sales during the first four months of this year averaged 8 p.c. above the same period of 1944 and were 46 p.c. greater than in the same four months of 1941. Sales of Canadian department stores were practically unchanged in April of this year compared with last year but were 18 p.c. below the level in March of this year. The high point in the third month of this year was due to unusual circumstances including the early date of Easter and the unseasonably warm weather throughout the month. Wholesale sales of food products in April this year considerably exceeded the volume recorded in the same month of 1944. The larger wholesale grocery houses reported an increase of 10 p.c. in this comparison.

Income Payments

Industrial employment throughout Canada has shown curtailments since the beginning of the year. Most of the recession took place in manufacturing and logging from which some 7,100 and 12,700 persons, respectively, were released by the co-operating farms. The contraction in manufacturing as a whole was contra-seasonal. The largest decline was in iron and steel. The per capita average weekly earnings were given as \$32.00 in the week of April 1, being 81 cents less than at March 1 which was a new high point in the current movement.

Claims registered for unemployment insurance benefit during the month of April totalled 8,430 as compared with 13,307 in the preceding month and 6,463 in the corresponding month of last year. A total of 22,995 persons received one or more benefit payments in April, having been paid a total of \$591,265 for 304,102 compensated unemployed days.

The dividends paid by Canadian corporations in the first five months of 1945, according to an unofficial computation, were \$91.4 million against \$90.1 million in the same period of last year, representing a gain of 1.4 p.c.

DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS,

June 30, 1945.

I. Analytical and General

2. BUSINESS BY ECONOMIC AREAS¹

Item	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
CANADA—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	31,695	37,315	32,228	24,151	25,288	25,925	18,902	12,730	11,722	12,933	19,651	34,296	38,271
Building permits.....\$000	17,839	14,695	13,350	12,133	10,807	11,934	9,067	7,902	5,391	7,225	12,787	17,735	17,348
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	3,585	3,325	3,149	3,275	3,235	3,482	3,439	3,356	3,423	3,124	3,586	3,534	3,503
Employment average, 1926=100	180-5	183-5	184-3	185-5	183-3	183-8	185-7	180-4	178-9	178-2	176-9	.....	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	6,653	5,219	4,733	4,532	4,819	4,932	6,671	5,063	5,070	4,434	5,329	4,855	6,894
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	52,857	53,569	51,405	41,168	42,133	48,665	52,349	46,906	47,658	48,510	53,554	57,121	51,055
MARITIME PROVINCES—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	2,120	2,255	1,901	1,961	3,093	2,135	1,393	503	775	418	1,500	1,419	2,513
Building permits.....\$000	516	633	2,117	340	280	390	213	127	294	161	130	730	468
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	93	93	86	89	83	90	104	99	108	88	99	93	99
Employment average, 1926=100	178-2	187-8	185-8	184-5	189-1	187-1	191-6	182-5	179-9	179-9	180-5	.....	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	144-3	105-0	104-3	97-8	98-2	114-6	156-2	120-5	111-2	99-3	111-8	110-6	165-2
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	3,867	3,814	3,816	3,812	3,547	3,395	4,066	4,051	3,256	3,600	3,965	4,102	4,030
QUEBEC—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	6,725	11,730	9,717	8,522	6,648	8,689	6,804	4,228	4,518	4,429	6,037	8,323	9,651
Building permits.....\$000	5,355	4,401	3,848	3,747	3,665	3,959	2,871	2,408	748	1,392	2,861	5,378	4,439
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	2,116	1,936	1,803	1,892	1,560	2,002	1,928	1,805	1,858	1,727	2,026	2,030	2,073
Employment average, 1926=100	194-3	195-2	197-7	200-0	193-8	196-7	197-6	191-1	189-1	188-5	185-2	.....	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	1,906	1,598	1,385	1,289	1,336	1,291	1,911	1,472	1,533	1,311	1,516	1,336	1,941
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	14,044	13,661	12,806	10,086	10,608	12,445	14,096	12,309	12,571	11,833	14,289	15,142	13,623
ONTARIO—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	9,454	13,717	13,052	8,294	9,380	11,081	6,533	5,295	4,026	3,541	6,085	12,719	14,413
Building permits.....\$000	6,735	5,112	4,016	5,128	3,260	4,315	3,781	3,996	2,513	3,435	6,776	7,345	6,484
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	917	870	850	840	840	906	907	915	917	823	933	936	938
Employment average, 1926=100	182-1	185-1	186-0	186-5	185-0	185-9	188-0	184-2	184-3	184-2	183-0	.....	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	3,056	2,247	2,011	1,937	2,193	2,191	2,969	2,269	2,226	2,049	2,673	2,201	3,183
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	22,347	23,057	21,512	10,460	17,965	21,204	21,509	19,037	19,762	21,635	23,486	25,114	21,678
PRAIRIE PROVINCES—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	7,903	5,481	3,845	2,664	2,835	2,521	2,561	1,550	1,450	3,202	3,963	8,441	7,899
Building permits.....\$000	2,830	2,595	1,953	1,619	2,085	1,312	1,088	686	486	783	1,820	2,844	4,255
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	243	223	218	225	240	256	272	291	294	261	270	256	255
Employment average, 1926=100	145-2	146-4	151-6	150-3	148-0	148-1	151-9	149-2	145-3	141-2	141-2	.....	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	1,141	958	936	911	921	1,043	1,237	916	872	684	703	696	1,162
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	8,571	9,055	9,414	7,585	6,093	8,191	9,146	8,323	8,410	7,877	8,293	8,689	8,099
BRITISH COLUMBIA—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	5,492	4,133	3,913	2,691	3,382	1,499	1,610	1,153	952	1,342	2,066	3,394	3,795
Building permits.....\$000	2,403	1,954	1,417	1,299	1,517	1,959	1,114	654	1,349	1,454	1,201	1,437	1,702
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	216	203	213	200	212	216	230	246	246	225	238	229	228
Employment average, 1926=100	185-0	187-5	185-7	188-1	185-6	182-5	182-5	173-9	172-0	172-0	173-0	.....	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	405-6	319-8	297-4	296-9	270-2	291-4	398-3	285-1	307-3	289-9	325-8	303-7	443-2
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	4,028	3,981	3,858	3,225	3,320	3,430	3,532	3,189	3,659	3,671	3,821	4,074	3,625
PORTAL STATISTICS—													
Money Orders Sold.....No. 000	1,670	1,564	1,368	1,517	1,090	1,906	1,953	2,086	1,641	1,557	2,084	1,866	.....
Value.....\$000	22,149	20,807	19,557	22,487	23,790	26,578	27,907	26,397	20,904	19,920	26,742	24,931	.....

¹ Employment as at first of following month.

REVUE MENSUELLE DE LA SITUATION ÉCONOMIQUE

Vol. XX

OTTAWA, JUIN 1945

N° 6

STATISTICIEN DU DOMINION: S. A. CUDMORE, M.A. (OXON.), LL.D. (TOR.), F.S.S., F.R.S.C.
CHIEF, BRANCHE DES STATISTIQUES ÉCONOMIQUES: STONEY B. SMITH, M.A.

SITUATION ÉCONOMIQUE EN MAI

L'avance de la moyenne des six principaux facteurs économiques en mai comparativement au mois précédent est surtout attribuable à l'augmentation des dépôts aux banques à charte. La hausse des actions ordinaires se poursuit en mai et, cela, depuis le milieu de l'été de 1942. Les prix de gros et les obligations du Dominion sont stables en mai; l'indice général des prix des denrées fait preuve d'une stabilité remarquable depuis les derniers mois de 1943. Les opérations spéculatives continuent de se maintenir à un niveau élevé, tandis que les opérations productives ralentissent.

L'indice du volume physique des affaires accuse en mai un recul qui contraste avec les faibles avances des deux mois précédents. Cet indice tend à décliner depuis les premiers mois de 1944, alors qu'il a atteint un maximum. L'indice général de l'emploi rétrograde encore au début d'avril, pour le quatrième mois consécutif. Le maximum historique a été atteint le 1er décembre 1943. Le recul en 1944 a été nettement moins prononcé, mais les effectifs des industries à l'heure actuelle sont un peu inférieurs au niveau extrêmement élevé qu'ils ont atteint vers le début de l'an dernier. Le revenu national, qui avait été estimé à \$3,712,000,000 les cinq premiers mois de 1944, diminue à \$3,618,000,000 la même période de cette année. Le déclin se limite donc à 2.5 p.c.

Agriculture

Du début de la campagne au 14 juin les cultivateurs des Provinces des Prairies livrent 312,200,000 boisseaux de blé, à rapprocher de 254,300,000 la même période de la campagne précédente. Les autorités canadiennes du transport ont projeté de transporter une quantité énorme de blé canadien en vue de l'exporter durant les sept prochains mois, probablement 250,000,000 de boisseaux. L'Europe libérée a besoin de blé canadien; pour satisfaire ces besoins, il est estimé qu'il faudra transporter de 28,000,000 à 40,000,000 de boisseaux de grain par mois par les ports canadiens et de 10,000,000 à 12,000,000 de boisseaux par mois par les ports des États-Unis. On prévoit que la production de blé aux États-Unis cette année sera de 1,085,000,000 de boisseaux contre 1,079,000,000 en 1944. La production moyenne de la période de 1934 à 1943 a été de 789,000,000 de boisseaux. On s'attend que la récolte de l'Australie s'établisse à 100,000,000 de boisseaux, soit le double de la récolte de l'année précédente.

L'indice des ventes de bestiaux aux enclos se place à 119.8 en mai comparativement à 125.3 le même mois de l'an dernier. Les ventes de bêtes à cornes augmentent un peu, tandis que celles de porcs accusent un déclin marqué. L'indice des abatages inspectés recule à 150.3 contre 212.8 en mai l'an dernier. Les abatages diminuent depuis le deuxième mois de l'année. Le classement des porcs au cours des cinq premiers mois de cette année est beaucoup moins considérable qu'en 1944. La diminution atteint une moyenne qui n'est pas loin de 300,000 porcs par mois, et le déclin en mai est bien supérieur à cette moyenne. L'augmentation de la fabrication de produits laitiers est moins que normale pour la saison, l'indice reculant à 162 contre 223. La production de beurre décline de 0.7 p.c. les cinq premiers mois, tandis que la production de fromage augmente de 9.2 p.c.

Industrie forestière

Plusieurs des facteurs traçant l'orientation de la production forestière font meilleure figure en mai que le mois précédent. La production de papier à journal s'élève à 264,464 tonnes en mai contre 245,429 le mois précédent; l'indice gagne 3.5 points et se place à 98.8. Les exportations de pulpe de bois et de

3—WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY, 1945

Item	Mar.		April				May				June	
	31	7	14	21	28	5	12	19	26	2	9	
Statistics of Grain Trade—												
RECEIPTS COUNTRY ELEVATORS—												
Wheat.....000 bushels.....	2,157	2,705	4,675	3,673	5,231	3,311	2,681	2,325	2,188	3,695	4,866	
Oats.....000 bushels.....	1,541	1,810	3,928	4,118	4,481	2,822	2,344	1,987	1,712	2,591	3,305	
Barley.....000 bushels.....	246	256	502	407	567	394	365	223	269	418	580	
Flax.....000 bushels.....	13	16	28	13	36	20	15	7	8	18	28	
Rye.....000 bushels.....	43	40	90	59	86	42	39	31	26	30	32	
VISIBLE SUPPLY—												
Wheat.....000,000 bushels.....	347-0	340-2	336-9	332-9	328-0	321-6	311-3	300-7	293-8	283-6	268-3	
Oats.....000 bushels.....	42,258	43,259	42,701	40,195	40,914	40,682	40,607	39,912	38,814	36,921	35,512	
Barley.....000 bushels.....	32,651	30,232	28,716	26,654	25,462	22,923	22,217	21,401	19,741	18,292	15,315	
Flax.....000 bushels.....	4,107	3,375	3,514	3,335	3,009	2,817	2,799	2,674	2,694	2,563	2,536	
Rye.....000 bushels.....	3,282	3,317	3,198	3,063	3,027	3,251	3,255	2,770	2,314	2,409	2,375	
AVER. CASH PRICE FORT WILLIAM AND PORT ARTHUR—Cents and eighths of a cent.												
Wheat No. 1 Man. Nor...per bush.....	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	
Oats, No. 2 C.W....."	51/4	51/4	51/3	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51	51	51/1	51/3	
Barley No. 3 C.W....."	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	
Rye No. 2 C.W....."	132/5	136/2	141/2	146	147/7	149/1	151/5	153/2	156/6	159/0	153/4	
Sales and Prices of Live Stock—												
SALES ON STOCKYARDS—												
Cattle.....No.	16,179	10,741	16,623	18,242	16,724	14,203	18,612	14,796	15,665	14,256	15,621	
Calves....."	11,153	13,051	12,868	12,097	12,823	10,211	11,686	10,045	12,056	10,793	11,834	
Hogs....."	19,167	21,044	17,696	18,965	18,214	15,666	18,333	15,221	16,710	17,612	16,645	
Sheep....."	1,550	1,291	1,433	1,532	1,577	1,811	1,846	1,695	2,620	3,428	4,125	
PRICES AT TORONTO—												
Steers, medium.....per cwt. \$	11-38	11-64	11-49	11-56	11-88	11-94	11-94	12-08	12-17	12-16	12-27	
Calves, good veal....."	\$ 15-40	15-08	15-00	15-13	15-50	15-24	14-99	15-25	15-25	15-25	15-25	
Hogs, B 1 dressed....."	\$ 17-35	17-45	17-45	17-52	17-60	17-60	17-85	17-94	18-09	18-60	18-92	
Lambs, good handyweights....."	\$ 15-23	15-25	15-00	15-37	15-50	15-42	17-90	17-07	16-48	16-87	17-09	
Carloadings—												
Grain.....	6,419	7,902	10,087	9,599	11,671	10,527	10,629	12,197	12,983	13,731	13,150	
Grain products.....	2,949	2,908	2,861	2,887	3,034	2,796	2,319	3,019	2,945	3,048	3,069	
Live stock.....	2,503	2,772	2,531	2,427	2,099	2,181	1,919	1,896	1,806	1,812	1,873	
Coal.....	4,116	4,329	4,734	4,738	5,001	4,134	3,352	5,057	4,144	4,603	4,600	
Coke.....	793	791	775	887	767	751	793	763	747	764	763	
Lumber, lath and shingles.....	2,900	2,478	2,740	2,720	2,601	2,747	2,227	3,090	3,295	3,627	3,489	
Pulpwood.....	2,599	2,416	2,735	2,843	2,626	2,803	2,739	3,343	3,336	3,288	4,062	
Pulp and paper.....	3,441	3,414	3,342	3,344	3,141	2,933	2,571	3,211	3,131	3,239	3,115	
Logs and other forest products.....	1,670	1,460	1,462	1,516	1,673	1,654	1,460	1,864	2,197	2,087	2,249	
Ores, matte and other mine products.....	2,024	2,394	1,937	2,142	2,190	2,391	1,928	2,460	2,684	1,949	2,690	
Hay and straw.....	306	309	296	255	227	352	303	345	394	380	312	
Fresh fruits.....	180	190	181	187	140	116	56	59	42	49	33	
Fresh vegetables.....	889	737	732	707	750	528	243	226	168	149	144	
Fresh meats and packing house products.....	576	545	646	602	559	641	457	676	459	632	624	
Sand, stone, gravel, lime, brick and cement.....	2,075	2,395	2,729	2,523	2,800	2,668	2,259	3,105	3,016	3,549	3,845	
Petroleum oils including gasoline.....	2,396	2,671	2,438	2,516	2,533	2,785	2,452	3,030	2,768	3,204	3,079	
Sugar.....	118	306	409	208	194	250	187	293	274	275	277	
Implement, tractor and machinery.....	459	513	598	533	532	590	412	452	392	447	437	
Automobiles and parts.....	1,735	1,910	1,737	1,957	1,651	1,776	1,586	1,653	1,477	1,716		
Mdes. L. C. L.....	14,079	15,817	16,121	15,836	16,080	15,811	12,700	15,397	13,656	15,230	15,461	
Miscellaneous.....	5,472	6,253	6,452	6,316	6,072	6,386	4,954	6,393	5,997	6,128	6,466	
Total cars loaded.....	62,252	67,707	70,690	70,323	71,295	70,062	58,772	73,165	70,250	74,308	75,535	
Total cars received from connections.....	40,195	39,448	36,566	38,882	38,033	36,783	34,994	35,710	35,373	37,322	36,976	

bardeaux augmentent, tandis que celles de madriers et planches laissent voir une diminution hors de saison. Il a été annoncé que les moulins canadiens augmenteraient leurs approvisionnements de papier à journal aux Etats-Unis de 200,000 à 220,000 tonnes par mois à compter du 1er juillet. On a également annoncé que les expéditions de papier du Canada et des Etats-Unis à l'Europe cesseraient et que les éditeurs européens seraient entièrement approvisionnés en papier à journal de la Scandinavie.

Energie électrique

Les centrales électriques produisent 13,658,000,000 de kilowatt-heures au cours des quatre premiers mois de cette année, à rapprocher de 13,619,000,000 la même période de l'an dernier. Les installations de turbines hydrauliques ont augmenté de 143,156 h.p. en 1900 à 10,283,763 h.p. à la dernière date pour laquelle les statistiques sont connues. La guerre a révélé la puissance du Canada comme pays industriel; les ressources hydrauliques considérables et favorablement réparties, ainsi que les multiples usages auxquels se prête l'énergie électrique à bas prix fournie par ces ressources, ont joué un rôle de première importance en rendant possible une telle situation industrielle. Après la guerre, l'énergie hydraulique devrait continuer d'être un facteur remarquable du développement futur des ressources du pays. En 1944 les développements hydro-électriques accusent une augmentation nette de 69,250 h.p., l'expansion du temps de guerre s'étant produite les années précédentes.

Industrie manufacturière

La production manufacturière, d'après l'indice, décline de 9.4 p.c. au regard des quatre premiers mois de 1944. L'indice de l'emploi dans les manufactures recule de 5.6 p.c. dans le même ordre de comparaison, tandis que les prix des produits ouverts montent un peu. La production de farine de blé s'établit à 8,284,000 barils le premier trimestre contre 8,345,000 la même période de l'an dernier. La production d'avril cette année est la plus considérable jamais enregistrée pour ce mois.

Les opérations des filatures canadiennes de coton en mai sont un peu moins considérables qu'au cours du même mois de l'an dernier. Il s'ouvre 33,159 balles pendant le mois, diminution de 7.3 p.c. Pendant les cinq premiers mois de l'année il s'ouvre 167,205 balles, diminution de 5.6 p.c. L'activité ralentit dans les fonderies et les aciéries le dernier mois connu. La production d'acier en lingots et de fonte en gueuse augmente de 6.2 p.c. et de 2.4 p.c. respectivement au regard des quatre premiers mois de 1944.

Transports

Les recettes brutes d'exploitation du Canadien National se placent à \$174,200,000 les cinq premiers mois de l'année courante contre \$176,200,000 la même période de l'an dernier; celles du Pacifique Canadien s'établissent à \$186,700,000 pendant la même période comparativement à \$187,900,000 l'an dernier. Les recettes du Canadien National augmentent en mai au regard du même mois de l'an dernier, tandis que celles du Pacifique Canadien diminuent de 2.5 p.c.

Finance

Les prêts courants des banques à charte s'élèvent à \$1,023,000,000 à la fin d'avril contre \$867,000,000 la même date de l'an dernier. Le portefeuille des banques, qui était de \$3,390,000,000 l'an dernier, passe à \$3,504,000,000 à la fin d'avril cette année. Avant chaque emprunt de guerre, les dépôts aux banques à charte canadiennes avaient établi de nouveaux records successifs, et chaque emprunt de guerre a touché une nouvelle cime en fait de montant global recueilli. L'état mensuel des banques au 30 avril indique que les dépôts à terme et à demande touchent un nouveau sommet de \$4,848,000,000, soit \$189,000,000 de plus que le maximum antérieur à la fin de mars cette année et \$606,000,000 de plus que le 30 avril l'an dernier.

L'impôt fédéral sur le revenu, la douane et l'accise rapportent \$263,600,000 en mai, diminution de \$3,700,000 au regard du même mois de 1944. Les perceptions d'impôt sur le revenu se placent à \$151,600,000 et déclinent de \$26,-

I. Analytical and General—Concluded

3. WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY—Concluded

Item	April				May				June		
	7	14	21	28	5	12	19	26	2	9	16
Industrial Material Prices, 1926=100	100.4	100.4	100.5	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.1	100.1	.....	.....	.....
Canadian Farm Products, 1926=100	105.3	105.4	105.2	105.6	104.3	104.5	104.6	104.8	.....	.....	.....
Montreal Stock Exchange—average—											
Utilities (10).....	60.3	61.1	61.9	61.8	61.6	61.9	61.4	61.0	62.0	64.3	65.8
Industrials (20).....	92.7	94.1	95.1	94.0	93.9	95.3	97.4	98.6	98.8	101.9	104.3
Paper (10).....	135.93	192.38	192.71	190.98	186.35	191.11	194.64	190.39	190.63	209.59	209.71
Toronto Stock Exchange—average—											
Industrials (20).....	134.46	136.82	140.38	139.85	140.68	143.66	144.90	145.20	145.85	151.01	153.01
Gold (20).....	117.62	119.43	118.71	118.54	122.60	128.14	127.58	126.53	125.66	129.27	129.03
Base metals (10).....	76.51	79.58	80.19	79.56	80.01	81.71	81.59	81.08	80.96	85.17	85.96
Western oils (15).....	28.80	29.11	28.55	28.32	29.07	30.87	30.58	30.10	29.40	30.18	30.06

4. ENTRIES OF AUTOMOBILES INTO CANADA VIA THE INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY ON TRAVELLERS' VEHICLE PERMITS.

Economic Areas	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Maritime Provinces	2,231	3,000	4,498	3,985	3,011	2,703	2,179	1,078	554	685	1,088	2,126	2,690
Quebec.....	6,078	7,284	12,102	11,537	10,356	7,686	5,443	2,557	1,341	1,423	3,193	5,922	7,720
Ontario.....	20,253	27,771	33,373	60,125	40,765	21,846	15,879	10,775	5,619	7,524	14,028	19,317	30,195
Manitoba.....	374	508	747	503	386	387	291	266	121	130	205	223	444
Saskatchewan.....	274	502	712	319	352	208	107	73	44	41	74	61	245
Alberta.....	134	194	342	203	186	167	72	77	60	67	114	106	141
British Columbia.....	5,185	4,055	6,921	8,099	6,590	5,039	4,023	4,215	2,617	3,019	3,639	4,317	5,564
Total	32,492	43,309	58,696	84,771	61,646	38,036	27,994	19,071	10,556	12,889	22,341	32,102	46,999

5. COMMERCIAL FAILURES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS

Branches of Business	1945								1945			
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Trade	3	2	3	4	2	.....	4	2	9	5	1	4
Manufactures	1	4	6	.....	4	2	3	.....	1	3	2	1
Agriculture.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Logging, Fishing, Trapping	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mining.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Construction	3	3	3	2	2	2	5	.....	5	4	4	3
Transportation	3	.....	.....	.....	2	2	.....	1	2	.....	.....	1
Finance.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Service	6	9	4	4	7	4	2	3	8	4	4	5
Unclassified	4	2	.....	2	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	18	20	16	15	20	8	15	7	25	16	11	12

6. CANADIAN FAILURES AS REPORTED IN DUN'S STATISTICAL REVIEW

Province	1944										1945		
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Prince Edward Isl......	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Nova Scotia.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
New Brunswick.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Quebec	5	2	3	6	6	4	3	7	9	8	5	5	3
Ontario	1	.....	2	3	1	2	1	.....	.....	1	5	.....	1
Manitoba.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Saskatchewan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alberta.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British Columbia	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	1	.....	.....	1
Total Canada	7	3	7	9	7	7	7	8	10	11	11	7	6

500,000, surtout parce que la partie remboursable n'est plus perçue. Les recettes de la douane et de l'accise s'élèvent à \$112,000,000, augmentation de \$22,800,000.

Lors du huitième emprunt canadien de la victoire, les ventes ont rapporté \$1,568,927,350, alors que l'objectif était de \$1,350,000,000. L'augmentation est de \$51,300,000 par rapport au record antérieur établi lors du septième emprunt, dont l'objectif était de \$1,300,000,000. Les particuliers en ont acheté pour \$836,300,000, soit \$69,900,000 de plus que lors du septième emprunt. Les particuliers en ont acheté en moyenne pour \$263.60, ou pour \$31.40 de plus que lors de l'emprunt précédent. Les gros souscripteurs, y compris les corporations, en ont acheté pour \$732,600,000.

Dépenses nationales

Les dépenses en immobilisations comprennent principalement la construction, l'achat d'articles durables pour la production, le solde créditeur du commerce international et les changements dans les inventaires. Le graphique de la p. 4 illustre la tendance à long terme de trois facteurs de dépenses en immobilisations; il y est question de la production d'acier en lingots, des permis de bâtir dans 58 municipalités et des exportations de marchandises (à l'exclusion de l'or non monétaire).

Les contrats de construction accordés pendant les cinq premiers mois de 1945 s'élèvent à \$116,900,000 contre \$115,400,000 la même période de l'an dernier. Les contrats adjugés en mai cette année s'établissent à \$38,300,000 comparativement à \$31,700,000 le même mois de l'an dernier. Les contrats placés en avril et en mai sont supérieurs à ce qu'ils ont été l'an dernier.

Les exportations de produits canadiens ont une valeur de \$1,395,500,000 les cinq premiers mois de 1945, à rapprocher de \$1,403,000,000 la même période de 1944, diminution de 0.5 p.c. Les exportations de produits agricoles sont en tête avec un total de \$176,900,000 en mai cette année contre \$91,000,000 environ en mai l'an dernier.

Les ventes de détail au cours des quatre premiers mois de cette année excèdent en moyenne de 8 p.c. celles de la même période de 1944 et de 46 p.c. celles des quatre premiers mois de 1941. Les ventes des magasins à rayons au Canada en avril n'offrent à peu près pas de changement au regard du même mois de l'an dernier, mais elles diminuent de 18 p.c. par rapport à celles de mars cette année; le niveau élevé des ventes le troisième mois de cette année a été dû à des circonstances exceptionnelles, dont la date de Pâques et la chaleur hors de saison durant le mois. Les ventes de produits alimentaires en gros en avril cette année sont beaucoup plus considérables qu'au cours du même mois de 1944. Les grandes épiceries en gros rapportent une augmentation de 10 p.c. dans cet ordre de comparaison.

Paiements de revenu

L'emploi industriel dans tout le Canada diminue depuis le début de l'année. La majeure partie de la diminution se produit dans l'industrie manufacturière et l'abatage du bois, qui mettent à pied 7,100 et 12,700 personnes respectivement. La contraction dans l'ensemble de l'industrie manufacturière est hors de saison. Le plus grand déclin se produit dans le groupe du fer et de l'acier. Les gains hebdomadaires moyens per capita sont de \$32.00 la semaine du 1er avril, soit 81 cents de moins que la nouvelle cime atteinte le 1er mars.

Les réclamations de prestation d'assurance-chômage s'établissent à 8,430 en avril, comparativement à 13,307 le mois précédent et 6,463 le mois correspondant de l'an dernier. En avril, 22,995 personnes reçoivent en prestation un montant total de \$591,265 pour 304,102 jours de chômage compensés.

D'après un calcul officieux, les dividendes payés par les corporations canadiennes s'élèvent à \$91,400,000 les cinq premiers mois de 1945, au regard de \$90,100,000 la même période de l'an dernier, augmentation de 1.4 p.c.

II. Production

7. RECEIPTS AND VISIBLE SUPPLY OF GRAIN

Classification	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
*RECEIPTS COUNTRY ELEVATORS													
Wheat.....000 bus.	12,578	39,909	54,019	18,103	54,906	66,109	53,212	30,638	25,191	12,775	13,678	17,534	13,126
Oats..... "	12,245	12,236	20,865	5,799	10,867	12,374	6,421	7,353	20,411	12,455	11,704	15,875	10,480
Barley..... "	4,429	4,302	7,189	5,777	21,442	19,351	4,720	5,837	5,785	2,802	2,010	1,946	1,338
Rye..... "	203	126	141	534	827	645	296	247	213	306	313	293	154
Flax..... "	99	187	101	304	1,667	3,518	376	259	137	60	65	100	61
VISIBLE SUPPLY ¹													
Wheat.....000 bus.	278,510	282,502	297,932	285,893	310,231	338,541	365,819	371,562	360,612	350,649	347,042	327,953	282,579
Oats..... "	29,353	25,944	39,398	34,321	34,744	35,128	29,497	27,747	40,437	40,622	42,258	41,914	36,921
Barley..... "	24,354	22,788	22,071	22,543	37,348	45,493	37,064	36,968	37,940	33,878	32,651	25,462	18,232
Rye..... "	6,884	5,769	4,532	4,189	4,438	4,374	3,501	3,148	2,968	3,078	2,282	3,027	2,409
Flax..... "	3,409	3,144	2,815	2,362	3,172	6,277	6,229	5,645	5,192	4,425	4,107	3,009	2,563
CASH PRICES ²													
Wheat, No. 1 Nor.	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125
Oats, No. 2 C.W.	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/2	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/2
Barley, No. 2 C.W.	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6
Rye, No. 2 C.W.	123/1	108/6	106/3	105	95/2	104/3	108/2	109/7	116/3	125/3	131/2	144/2	154/7
Flax, No. 1 C.W.	250	250	250	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275

¹ First of following month. ² Cents and eighths of a cent per bushel.³ Includes Interior Private and mill and platform loadings.

8. SALES AND SLAUGHTERINGS OF LIVE STOCK

SALES ON STOCK YARD													
Cattle.....	75,658	50,373	66,204	13,878	93,133	119,505	113,304	104,807	106,944	80,764	78,673	73,126	77,663
Calves.....	50,787	40,111	38,874	42,401	35,009	46,246	33,628	27,126	23,218	19,803	33,762	80,128	55,862
Hogs.....	119,590	81,417	69,794	52,882	72,180	117,736	123,244	108,739	108,549	94,084	86,176	76,892	66,645
Sheep.....	6,712	13,444	21,285	62,986	64,267	101,307	83,187	43,757	26,217	14,110	10,303	6,295	9,061
SLAUGHTERINGS													
Cattle.....	101,931	89,355	95,131	116,772	125,134	132,843	160,013	153,527	159,342	128,107	129,294	114,590	107,825
Calves.....	89,871	71,883	61,968	60,164	55,073	51,921	46,394	33,153	33,779	34,175	71,903	107,311	102,719
Sheep.....	34,470	19,460	11,047	9,008	9,534	8,495	11,256	10,896	12,930	10,288	3,080	22,546	17,262
Lambs.....	997	13,894	25,287	67,290	112,315	131,062	131,429	72,893	61,043	46,467	43,078	1,818	1,374
Pigs.....	655,806	682,584	629,578	678,451	826,440	861,609	828,418	767,069	756,446	662,718	601,317	539,868	494,450

9. COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS AT FIRST OF MONTH IN 000 LB. OR DOZ.¹

Commodity	1944								1945				
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
BUTTER—													
Creamery.....	16,620	36,545	82,962	62,975	66,706	63,085	51,772	40,006	30,244	20,177	12,866	12,047	15,115
Dairy.....	80	71	114	18	96	86	139	129	107	44	25	70	42
CHEESE (not Process or Cottage).....	34,563	52,532	60,772	61,363	64,717	53,545	42,225	39,290	29,747	23,610	20,190	25,637	46,892
CONCENTRATED WHOLE MILK.....	18,021	30,003	40,853	40,058	43,376	43,244	40,918	31,542	25,172	23,903	25,691	27,910	41,545
EGGS—													
Cold Storage.....	12,679	16,163	14,534	11,240	7,532	3,486	538	231	404	93	1,096	7,443	13,508
Fresh.....	5,060	5,300	3,810	3,755	3,259	1,388	1,318	2,434	2,891	2,807	4,514	6,005	3,846
Frozen.....	29,778	37,021	42,785	44,945	44,415	43,333	37,840	30,187	24,338	18,078	11,589	11,654	18,097
POULTRY, dressed.....	11,769	10,230	10,077	10,143	11,536	14,106	18,656	24,219	20,822	15,576	11,069	8,103	5,894
PORK, grand total.....	38,837	76,254	80,179	60,722	36,594	43,054	47,495	45,680	45,045	46,712	50,970	64,181	56,161
Fresh (not frozen).....	9,096	7,992	7,104	5,329	6,130	7,874	6,850	7,993	9,999	5,982	6,256	5,445	5,142
Fresh (frozen).....	47,875	40,170	28,687	15,001	9,112	6,669	7,470	8,888	14,904	21,545	25,980	36,002	24,702
Cured or in cure.....	31,896	28,062	24,388	20,393	21,342	28,811	31,178	31,805	26,142	21,185	24,734	22,735	26,317
LARD.....	21,367	21,459	17,726	14,134	7,281	4,570	4,489	4,960	4,275	3,721	3,062	2,817	2,600
BEER, grand total.....	25,197	20,564	20,341	21,429	24,819	25,183	30,724	31,825	35,147	31,013	29,726	21,666	16,095
VEAL.....	5,066	6,007	6,391	6,491	6,613	6,884	6,605	5,133	3,718	2,480	2,643	4,383	4,921
MUTTON AND LAMB.....	3,510	2,925	2,078	1,923	2,866	4,659	6,126	5,198	5,997	4,349	3,213	1,956	922
FISH—													
Frozen fresh.....	19,656	26,360	32,747	38,563	42,326	42,400	36,924	28,063	30,276	19,363	15,304	14,511	17,457
Frozen smoked.....	1,862	2,095	2,230	2,337	2,306	2,039	1,814	2,021	1,465	1,323	1,291	1,172	1,180

10. FISH CAUGHT AND LANDED

Classification	1944							1945		
	Mar.	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Catch, cwt.....	271,563	138483	1,793,878	1,604,790	873,010	836,188	517,635	855,102	682,648	.....
Landed \$.....	1,62,754	6752444	7,726,650	4,935,210	2,534,288	1,711,536	1,501,758	1,450,335	1,218,264	.....

11 MINERAL PRODUCTION

Classification	1944										1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Copper..... tons	22,814	24,180	23,874	22,793	22,685	21,673	21,137	22,027	23,039	22,191	19,902	22,966	21,477	
Nickel..... tons	11,580	12,012	10,187	11,705	11,923	11,354	10,909	11,129	10,363	11,885	10,362	11,757	10,830	
Lead..... tons	12,635	10,246	9,872	12,262	9,100	9,454	9,185	17,838	17,598	12,812	12,289	17,585	14,086	
Zinc..... tons	21,680	22,823	19,880	20,439	20,434	22,562	20,708	21,486	24,394	24,753	22,260	23,848	21,693	
Gold..... 000 oz.	244-8	256-8	239-9	235-6	235-0	236-4	230-0	223-1	223-9	233-2	212-3	228-7	222-7	
Silver..... 000 oz.	1,230	1,030	1,160	1,072	830	905	1,054	1,192	1,237	1,019	952	1,169-5	1,253-9	
Coal..... 000 tons	1,236	1,290	1,234	1,171	1,377	1,366	1,832	1,638	1,524	1,682	1,498	1,467	1,316	
Coke..... 000 tons	338	343	328	322	325	320	331	329	330	341	314	342	326	
Petroleum..... 000 bbls.	844-0	858-4	824-5	812-1	853-4	838-3	834-3	861-8	885-4	881-5	778-8	779-5	692-9	
Natural gas..... 000 M cu.	4,269	3,278	2,827	2,560	2,527	2,782	3,224	4,943	5,435	5,781	5,082	4,580	4,363	
Gypsum..... 000 tons	37	40	46	64	64	78	56	48	38	34	13	16	23	
Feldspar..... tons	1,327	1,174	2,345	1,874	1,901	2,280	2,444	1,919	2,241	1,159	1,848	2,233	1,935	
Salt (commercial) tons	26,706	30,834	27,649	27,541	27,538	29,120	24,556	30,236	22,844	23,583	22,787	23,226	25,884	
STRUCTURAL MATERIALS--														
Cement..... 000 bbls.	394	739	995	982	944	880	878	560	190	172	104	382	616	
Clay products..... 8000	366	601	658	716	733	720	741	697	431	408	390	548	573	
Lime..... tons	73,706	75,478	72,947	67,109	69,953	70,379	78,983	74,396	66,144	64,895	62,522	72,467	73,221	

12. OUTPUT OF CENTRAL ELECTRIC STATIONS KILOWATT HOURS

	1944										1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000
PRODUCTION (MWH):															
Hydraulic.....	3500332	3250170	3080003	3200241	3152989	3394984	3357203	3289683	3333376	3044027	3504688	3459258	3459258	3522151	
Thermal.....	84,163	75,855	60,325	74,769	81,789	87081	82348	87,419	80,307	79,308	81,827	74,890	70,923		
Total.....	3584515	3325825	3140328	3275010	3234778	3482065	3489651	3356102	3422683	3124235	3586515	3534157	3598074		

NET PROVINCIAL CONSUMPTION (FIRM AND SECONDARY POWER):

Prince Edward															
Iceland.....	803	822	787	870	802	991	1,165	1,193	1,285	1,134	958	1,001	928		
Nova Scotia.....	57,518	41,568	39,872	42,306	37,141	44,337	45,099	51,439	53,124	46,820	49,800	45,873	47,276		
New Brunswick.....	31,481	47,764	43,291	43,722	42,442	51,001	51,161	49,442	49,301	36,918	43,863	41,891	46,643		
Quebec.....	1707840	1359987	1438335	1402710	1360555	1597951	1526314	1408454	1456542	1359422	1608756	1612851	1641124		
Ontario.....	1058680	1021158	990,761	1011383	948,496	1082615	1123667	1114743	1157801	1041637	1158912	1121814	1125824		
Manitoba.....	143,690	127,712	121,633	127,378	108,895	154,148	160,871	175,061	177,069	160,590	168,483	161,377	158,056		
Saskatchewan.....	55,803	51,472	51,172	51,943	52,232	56,184	59,358	62,946	63,019	56,581	55,263	51,992	54,489		
Alberta.....	47,125	45,645	45,343	47,785	47,531	46,050	52,855	54,217	55,252	45,795	48,672	46,098	46,740		
British Columbia.....	211,477	200,769	212,954	220,778	213,250	217,415	229,234	244,483	244,820	222,689	238,017	225,706	223,673		
Total.....	3342387	3008896	2915428	3038876	2817434	3262742	3232294	3155418	3258313	2971576	3370724	3308603	3344653		

DAILY AVERAGE CONSUMPTION OF FIRM POWER IN CANADA:

Prince Edward															
Iceland.....	26	27	25	28	30	32	39	39	41	40	31	33	30		
Nova Scotia.....	1,655	1,388	1,286	1,365	1,238	1,430	1,603	1,659	1,714	1,672	1,607	1,529	1,525		
New Brunswick.....	936	1,534	1,378	1,403	1,415	1,574	1,660	1,401	1,542	1,318	1,372	1,261	1,456		
Quebec.....	40,030	46,555	44,893	44,545	45,552	47,102	43,943	37,188	37,073	37,517	39,371	40,988	40,769		
Ontario.....	32,212	31,564	29,169	30,243	31,616	32,541	34,543	33,242	34,406	34,699	34,285	33,900	33,065		
Manitoba.....	3,316	3,443	3,211	3,347	3,630	3,508	3,653	3,780	3,748	3,681	3,585	3,586	3,618		
Saskatchewan.....	1,800	1,716	1,651	1,676	1,741	1,811	1,978	2,006	2,034	2,021	1,783	1,733	1,758		
Alberta.....	1,030	1,591	1,495	1,541	1,584	1,560	1,762	1,749	1,782	1,636	1,570	1,537	1,508		
British Columbia.....	6,815	6,696	6,863	7,115	7,108	7,009	7,634	7,890	7,890	7,946	7,606	7,519	7,207		
Canada.....	97,510	94,432	89,971	91,263	93,914	98,617	96,815	98,946	99,220	99,530	91,210	92,186	90,936		

13. GENERAL MANUFACTURES

Classification	1944										1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Flour Milling														
MILL GRINDINGS														
Wheat.... 000 bush.	8,540	8,620	8,271	7,710	8,936	8,728	9,105	10,258	9,031	9,177	8,306	9,602	9,382	
Oats..... "	1,789	2,053	1,817	1,256	1,708	1,871	1,992	2,191	2,017	2,242	2,043	2,141	2,070	
Corn..... "	180-1	176-5	132-8	107-9	121-1	55-0	90-1	157-5	150-9	246-4	131-2	187-0	187-2	
Barley.... "	740-1	703-5	677-1	499-7	643-2	608-4	766-8	941-2	766-6	753-1	661-8	638-4	642-3	
Mixed grain "	2,072	1,921	1,555	1,441	2,037	2,114	2,361	3,000	2,637	2,499	2,227	2,336	2,258	
MILL PRODUCTION														
Wheat flour, percent-														
age of operation...	92-3	86-3	81-4	78-6	84-8	89-6	93-9	98-1	90-5	90-3	89-5	89-0	96-1	
Quantity... 000 bbls.	1,949	1,982	1,870	1,742	2,016	1,973	2,049	2,307	2,030	2,068	1,892	2,161	2,126	
Oatmeal... 000 lbs.	4,948-1	3,763-2	4,435-4	388-9	851-1	983-4	799-3	449-5	1,061-7	1,171-1	1,744-6	1,639-6	1,823-5	
Rolled oats.... "	5,076	6,239	5,848	8,290	14,810	16,421	17,296	20,330	18,017	20,834	16,996	19,328	16,331	
Corn flour, meal "	1,979	1,219	789	366	641	416	1,174	1,950	2,357	2,235	1,206	1,959	2,128	
M. and S. Con-														
tracts.														
Tobacco Released														
for Consumption														
Tobacco, cut, 000 lbs	1,701	1,783	1,898	1,988	1,944	2,393	2,541	2,077	2,305	2,025	1,892	1,960	1,892	
plug "	280-1	244-0	256-4	244-1	266-7	368-7	312-6	288-3	337-7	288-5	266-6	260-1	211-3	
Canadian raw leaf "	195-3	176-8	221-2	176-3	181-6	203-1	242-7	279-1	207-5	216-1	201-9	163-2	184-9	
Cigarettes..... mn	889-1	934-7	881-9	1097-4	1066-8	1017-9	1,043-6	1,031-8	1,159-1	1,090-7	1,087-8	1,164-5	1,199-2	
Cigars..... 000	17,773	16,302	13,096	15,223	16,472	18,133	18,855	16,037	16,553	18,160	18,667	18,032	17,627	
Snuff..... lbs.	92,051	96,080	83,817	86,580	82,407	85,797	83,765	64,478	78,657	78,774	77,102	82,627	88,407	
Boots and Shoes														
000 pairs														
LEATHER OF FABRIC														
Uppers														
Wells.....	507-6	444-0	405-9	474-0	468-6	486-1	510-8	435-1	466-2	513-8	519-2	493-5	.....
McKays and all imi-														
tation wells.....	881-7	886-4	803-1	804-2	810-3	813-3	822-7	707-2	764-7	799-2	888-6	852-6	.....
Nailed, pegged...														
screw or wire fast-														
ened.....	205-0	166-7	152-1	165-4	163-4	173-6	173-8	159-9	212-5	184-9	188-4	186-8	.....
Stitchdowns.....	279-2	272-7	226-6	237-2	245-4	254-3	278-6	221-7	214-5	267-8	302-6	278-9	.....
Total.....	2,689	2,542	2,078	2,423	2,400	2,501	2,596	2,203	2,410	2,565	2,823	2,692	.....
TOTAL FOOTWEAR														
Men's.....	883-1	770-4	683-8	752-4	752-2	761-8	794-1	696-1	748-7	779-3	832-8	801-4	.....
Boys' and youths...	215-1	195-6	167-0	204-6	200-0	210-9	208-6	197-7	189-5	208-9	217-4	199-0	.....
Women's.....	1,462-5	1,397-8	1,062-9	1,343-5	1,302-2	1,383-4	1,390-6	1,154-7	1,300-6	1,416-2	1,582-2	1,497-4	.....
Misses' and Child-														
ren's.....	454-6	450-1	367-9	399-3	413-7	464-2	450-0	364-9	411-3	441-6	511-7	528-0	.....
Babies' and infants'														
Total.....	3,201	3,037	2,470	2,937	2,894	3,065-5	3,131-0	2,627-2	2,878-4	3,078-9	3,392-6	3,275-4	.....
Cotton bales, used														
Reporting Firms														
No.....	29,251	24,984	23,891	25,754	24,681	26,621	28,687	25,478	26,173	27,043	29,982	26,497	27,135	
000 lbs.	14,657	12,526	11,555	12,858	12,335	13,315	14,343	12,748	13,127	13,545	14,988	13,224	13,534	
Total..... No.	35,745	30,630	29,165	31,471	30,160	32,831	35,055	31,143	31,983	33,046	36,638	32,379	33,159	
000 lbs.	17,910	15,306	14,130	15,749	15,073	16,271	17,527	15,578	16,041	16,551	18,315	16,160	16,539	
Newsprint produc-														
tion..... 000 tons	202-47	246-85	244-41	262-30	244-21	258-30	256-78	244-97	264-77	239-66	263-78	245-43	264-46	
Stocks..... 000 tons	97-28	76-03	70-46	68-44	49-73	45-08	42-38	56-57	89-23	111-64	108-28	89-06	89-65	
B.C. timber														
scaled Mil. bd. ft.	264-0	315-7	233-5	246-1	250-7	250-7	270-8	220-1	162-8	197-8	211-3	234-7	273-8	
Dairy Production														
Creamery butter														
000 lbs.	34,070	45,531	41,465	38,082	30,977	24,576	16,333	12,401	11,424	10,601	14,525	20,833	32,025	
Factory cheese...	20,330	30,885	28,067	25,762	22,842	19,002	9,472	4,372	2,418	2,071	3,532	9,263	22,120	
Condensed milk														
000 lbs.	3,395	3,329	2,759	2,982	3,837	3,315	1,738	3,118	1,680	1,976	2,214	2,827	3,391	
Evaporated milk														
000 lbs.	22,890	26,124	21,800	18,508	14,632	14,327	10,519	8,700	9,568	7,359	13,407	17,066	25,128	
Iron, Gold and														
Silver														
Pig iron production,														
net tons	175,207	161,899	166,004	151,452	145,406	154,119	146,972	139,152	155,969	149,487	165,817	156,070	155,574	
Ferro-alloys produc-														
tion..... net tons	15,876	17,906	14,508	18,808	14,566	15,631	15,280	12,391	12,130	13,402	16,434	18,350	19,883	
Steel ingots and cast-														
ings..... net tons	263,431	240,750	234,418	246,754	242,723	275,824	268,923	243,482	268,722	250,464	277,461	274,213	267,643	
Gold, mint receipts														
000 oz.	224	255	215	232	228	223	240	202	233	208	212	208	222	
Silver " 000 oz.	32	33	33	38	32	31	32	31	33	30	29	30	31	

*Including estimate for non-reporting companies.
belonging to mill.

*This figure includes stocks held in warehouses but still

III. Construction

14. CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS AWARDED IN THOUSAND DOLLARS

Classification	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Contracts													
Awarded—													
Apartments.....	889	1,674	605	297	339	798	824	232	49	277	430	1,227	1,037
Residences.....	15,832	20,030	17,057	8,651	9,048	8,524	7,315	4,864	4,263	6,055	8,829	15,378	23,340
TOTAL	16,721	21,704	17,662	8,947	9,387	9,322	7,839	5,096	4,312	6,331	9,259	16,605	24,378
RESIDENTIAL.....	86	154	109	181	218	166	195	38	108	225	38	160	132
Churches.....	188	223	235	297	166	278	170	115	72	99	127	129	122
Public garages.....	970	1,003	1,980	4,009	3,845	2,607	424	52	34	270	2,209	5,595	994
Hospitals.....	271	290	150	118	125	142	201	231	303	120	109	158	123
Hotels and clubs.....	580	455	252	310	452	272	281	331	194	151	197	422	299
Office buildings.....	2,017	691	827	1,182	2,315	662	854	1,169	485	142	1,171	365	420
Public buildings.....	593	835	1,138	1,401	772	741	897	210	559	411	521	272	1,656
Schools.....	280	435	367	299	373	421	310	296	424	413	342	418	513
Stores.....	23	12	50	37	33	21	23	60	4	21	23	75	40
Theatres.....	1,129	1,907	1,515	1,426	1,492	1,327	1,275	850	2,301	1,254	864	1,090	1,629
Warehouses.....	6,118	6,003	6,623	9,258	9,792	6,726	4,628	3,352	4,573	3,106	5,600	9,284	5,937
TOTAL BUSINESS	3,588	4,461	4,168	3,226	3,623	7,929	3,868	3,432	2,149	2,359	2,437	4,807	6,178
TOTAL	300	435	217	205	85	15	24	.....	3	1,010	.....	14	64
INDUSTRIAL.....	261	2,700	163	196	94	401	327	380	105	54	597	368	57
Dams and wharves.....	286	206	249	292	323	95	107	156	370	56	134	296	248
Sewers and water mains.....	3,980	1,383	1,954	1,740	1,495	1,270	688	35	41	7	122	2,340	917
Roads and streets.....	441	424	1,182	288	318	167	1,427	229	169	111	1,768	583	483
General Engineering.....	5,269	5,147	3,775	2,721	2,486	1,949	2,569	800	687	1,237	2,335	3,601	1,779
TOTAL ENGINEERING.....	31,695	37,313	32,228	24,151	25,288	23,925	18,902	12,730	11,722	12,933	19,651	34,296	38,271
GRAND TOTAL.....													
Prince Edward Island—													
Island—													
Residential.....	10	20	28	4	17	13	12	.....	10	6	.....	34	26
Business.....	79	13	19	1	408	7	7	2	.....	.....	.....	11	26
Industrial.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	241	8	28	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	188
Engineering.....	89	46	48	5	873	27	47	2	10	14	.....	10	248
TOTAL.....	10	20	28	4	17	13	12	.....	10	6	.....	34	26
New Brunswick—													
New Brunswick—													
Residential.....	317	611	604	202	151	156	123	77	41	75	259	287	683
Business.....	181	808	110	266	408	166	579	182	266	47	456	337	577
Industrial.....	61	67	50	5	74	497	53	80	7	2	16	.....	100
Engineering.....	222	120	187	469	241	452	259	28	229	292	432	10	.....
TOTAL.....	781	1,106	921	942	873	1,271	1,023	368	543	124	1,023	957	1,370
New Brunswick—													
New Brunswick—													
Residential.....	306	404	260	332	259	289	102	44	70	108	172	301	713
Business.....	273	233	223	232	1,842	424	112	38	124	119	269	94	111
Industrial.....	582	.....	155	422	32	113	51	15	38	32	22	35	66
Engineering.....	10	465	295	49	41	11	59	37	25	.....	12	.....	.....
TOTAL.....	1,271	1,102	933	1,035	2,174	837	323	133	232	284	463	442	895
Quebec—													
Quebec—													
Residential.....	4,084	7,270	4,326	3,993	2,987	4,060	2,543	1,791	1,021	1,486	2,697	4,841	5,867
Business.....	916	2,259	3,601	2,844	2,766	2,006	1,879	1,200	2,640	1,022	1,303	1,515	1,662
Industrial.....	1,462	1,958	717	732	427	2,203	1,567	980	787	614	568	1,762	1,728
Engineering.....	264	243	1,073	1,232	468	336	815	258	70	1,106	1,469	205	385
TOTAL.....	6,728	11,730	9,717	8,522	6,648	8,689	6,804	4,228	4,518	4,429	6,037	8,323	9,651
Ontario—													
Ontario—													
Residential.....	5,463	6,576	7,799	2,090	3,401	2,719	2,474	1,776	1,565	1,538	2,490	3,557	8,630
Business.....	1,623	1,820	1,046	4,424	1,877	2,898	1,130	1,329	1,056	1,063	1,948	5,871	1,305
Industrial.....	1,039	1,749	2,839	1,120	2,480	4,712	1,691	2,008	1,197	850	1,351	1,464	3,284
Engineering.....	1,329	3,571	1,349	659	1,903	1,052	1,237	183	209	90	296	1,826	1,195
TOTAL.....	9,454	13,717	13,082	8,294	9,360	11,081	6,533	5,295	4,026	3,541	6,085	12,719	14,413
Manitoba—													
Manitoba—													
Residential.....	1,551	1,938	729	455	459	523	830	371	472	647	1,062	1,285	2,171
Business.....	100	226	379	269	285	374	184	199	112	463	292	142	303
Industrial.....	93	311	51	165	144	43	30	145	.....	13	204	1,061	140
Engineering.....	.....	65	16	87	18	64	18	99	.....	.....	293	71	17
TOTAL.....	1,744	2,570	1,176	973	906	1,007	1,062	615	584	1,123	1,651	2,559	2,633
Saskatchewan—													
Saskatchewan—													
Residential.....	258	369	356	259	166	181	161	76	94	280	426	1,129	1,049
Business.....	709	286	282	193	157	103	66	76	57	150	113	287	361
Industrial.....	33	87	25	64	83	20	246	6	6	.....	14	24	16
Engineering.....	42	.....	47	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	20	.....	.....	6	108
TOTAL.....	1,042	742	709	514	405	304	485	156	176	430	554	1,446	1,534
Alberta—													
Alberta—													
Residential.....	1,503	1,453	1,363	867	923	883	690	326	301	1,444	1,386	3,425	3,129
Business.....	1,683	249	207	247	335	205	204	119	190	182	120	160	394
Industrial.....	131	117	44	35	236	23	98	87	39	24	53	136	209
Engineering.....	1,602	250	146	26	31	.....	22	45	160	.....	715	.....	.....
TOTAL.....	5,118	2,169	1,760	1,175	1,524	1,211	1,014	577	600	1,650	1,558	4,436	3,732
British Columbia—													
British Columbia—													
Residential.....	3,231	3,064	2,197	1,045	1,025	501	896	635	749	743	1,091	1,768	2,097
Business.....	474	809	787	785	2,094	742	467	209	129	60	1,099	978	1,197
Industrial.....	187	172	267	664	148	221	100	181	75	524	201	315	447
Engineering.....	1,609	388	693	198	85	35	147	150	.....	15	5	333	85
TOTAL.....	5,492	4,333	3,913	2,061	3,852	1,499	1,610	1,153	952	1,342	2,066	3,394	3,795

III. Construction

15. BUILDING PERMITS¹

Province and City	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Building Permits—	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
PRINCE EDWARD ISL													
Charlottetown.....	10	7	2	1	5		2	.....	152	7	5	3	5
NOVA SCOTIA.....	262	377	2,006	254	166	247	153	101	107	118	98	621	340
Dartmouth.....	14	22	10	12	5	19	14	5	.....	12	14	10	8
Halifax.....	151	190	1,889	124	57	99	44	32	89	62	42	475	133
Sydney.....	31	36	64	50	27	26	25	20	3	3	10	54	63
NEW BRUNSWICK..	224	245	109	85	110	143	58	26	35	37	27	106	123
Fredericton.....	6	6	2	9	5	1	4	.....	6	2	2	.....	17
Moncton.....	148	87	10	9	52	73	9	13	20	16	9	60	66
Saint John.....	44	138	89	61	48	54	40	13	9	18	17	39	26
QUEBEC.....	5,355	4,401	3,848	3,747	3,665	3,959	2,871	2,408	748	1,302	2,861	5,378	4,430
Chicoutimi.....	126	36	56	15	49	193	1	.....	14	9	13	27	30
Hull.....	81	.....	14	110	55	11	11	6	3	26	42	151	89
Lachine.....	31	14	86	90	13	207	52	26	29	25	23	37	247
Montreal and Mal-													
sonneuve.....	2,345	2,133	1,571	1,593	1,499	1,656	1,684	1,417	396	601	1,427	2,188	2,137
Quebec.....	325	494	294	273	274	446	221	614	132	301	106	329	334
Shawinigan.....	210	79	73	77	121	21	60	8	.....	5	358	105	120
Sherbrooke.....	146	64	96	207	224	45	136	33	10	73	132	137	243
Three Rivers.....	114	43	73	124	20	150	17	5	11	5	76	89	93
Verdun.....	224	48	89	41	336	60	120	28	.....	22	40	132	161
Westmount.....	37	15	6	4	6	134	1	80	9	13	4	22	53
ONTARIO.....	6,735	5,112	4,016	5,128	3,260	4,815	3,781	3,996	2,513	3,435	6,776	7,345	6,484
Brantford.....	109	47	32	35	27	27	7	607	1	8	13	49	130
Chatham.....	37	68	14	14	79	44	79	2	4	5	20	27	52
Etobicoke Twp.....	434	207	164	226	133	141	189	61	60	152	579	536	309
Fort William.....	176	126	55	115	22	30	11	8	6	13	23	245	186
Hamilton.....	261	236	243	1,069	304	303	229	90	722	1,083	111	835	114
Kingston.....	61	104	53	54	40	42	107	18	63	1	32	91	79
Kitchener.....	108	90	103	106	34	91	31	28	10	13	301	138	179
London.....	124	160	67	91	123	120	76	63	75	62	83	141	135
Ottawa.....	611	487	233	189	227	272	256	48	176	140	189	447	316
Port Arthur.....	95	87	89	76	52	31	30	11	1	4	39	66	244
Sault Ste. Marie.....	67	80	37	54	76	39	18	242	14	9	22	54	152
Scarboro.....	192	102	110	102	101	94	57	24	25	22	109	181	236
St. Catharines.....	86	87	158	54	54	74	63	5	7	27	185	113	75
Toronto.....	794	854	474	872	398	817	434	854	327	371	765	1,587	621
York Township.....	315	351	91	315	88	109	142	61	110	275	205	275	275
East.....	255	160	138	94	79	170	147	59	30	61	272	126	232
North.....	243	301	137	230	218	196	236	36	11	744	2,260	455	373
Windsor.....	104	138	94	233	160	313	248	1,347	125	58	150	172	226
MANITOBA.....	1,068	967	740	505	972	505	462	294	124	242	462	776	1,274
Brandon.....	14	158	70	23	20	26	32	1	2	9	12	23	72
St. Boniface.....	134	176	153	131	543	124	105	50	9	20	49	52	169
Winnipeg.....	853	559	462	308	360	323	314	234	108	190	388	647	918
SASKATCHEWAN.....	354	314	315	378	305	225	81	49	63	73	275	519	891
Moose Jaw.....	15	16	35	9	56	9	4	12	29	19	4	63	55
Prince Albert.....	102	73	67	98	50	25	6	1	.....	4	19	25	100
Regina.....	145	83	123	150	69	89	26	14	16	21	125	259	456
Saskatoon.....	45	88	57	82	18	50	23	8	12	23	114	115	148
ALBERTA.....	1,407	1,314	869	736	807	581	545	343	296	458	1,082	1,549	2,090
Calgary.....	599	527	338	290	298	287	184	151	158	277	560	715	736
Edmonton.....	685	575	467	320	429	260	304	164	106	189	346	552	1,047
Lethbridge.....	71	182	64	44	55	43	50	24	31	29	137	176	222
Medicine Hat.....	51	28	40	69	23	45	6	4	.....	1	34	69	80
BRITISH COLUMBIA..	2,403	1,954	1,417	1,299	1,517	1,959	1,114	684	1,349	1,454	1,201	1,437	1,708
New Westminster.....	194	74	99	139	49	89	28	26	99	67	59	65	63
Prince Rupert.....	5	12	7	4	.....	7	.....	5	.....	15	2	.....	15
Vancouver.....	1,777	1,442	1,030	849	926	1,448	819	413	1,001	1,066	831	1,142	1,324
North.....	45	47	64	44	11	18	18	24	21	19	13	25	10
Victoria.....	175	184	76	163	351	154	114	165	171	163	114	97	137
Total.....	17,839	14,965	13,350	12,133	10,807	11,934	9,067	7,902	5,391	7,225	12,787	17,785	17,348

¹ Dominion and provincial totals include a number of other municipalities and are not comparable prior to January, 1940.

IV. Internal Trade

16. INDEXES OF RETAIL AND WHOLESALE SALES 1935-1939=100

Type of Business	1944												1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April			
Unadjusted—																
Wholesale Sales.....	173.0	185.2	190.0	170.8	199.4	206.4	203.5	185.3	170.8	182.3	178.6	201.8	195.3			
Automotive equipment.....	178.2	197.6	201.0	194.8	222.1	235.9	221.4	208.0	166.4	203.6	211.3	235.4	235.2			
Drugs.....	193.0	205.0	184.8	181.7	202.4	207.0	236.7	231.8	187.1	218.3	202.6	209.4	219.2			
Clothing.....	172.6	165.2	145.3	140.1	194.6	194.4	222.8	195.9	120.6	232.0	218.1	223.3	176.2			
Footwear.....	178.4	196.2	191.0	126.4	228.3	212.8	227.9	190.4	139.8	221.0	215.6	229.0	246.0			
Dry Goods.....	164.5	165.7	156.0	133.9	174.8	189.6	180.5	158.7	113.2	181.8	173.1	191.4	166.1			
Groceries.....	151.0	173.0	177.9	168.7	184.6	188.3	123.0	185.3	162.9	185.8	155.6	170.5	166.2			
Fruits and vegetables.....	216.4	261.2	232.4	230.0	239.0	249.1	218.2	206.6	232.7	188.8	192.3	238.3	251.5			
Hardware.....	178.5	195.8	193.1	177.9	191.2	198.0	193.1	197.0	156.0	173.0	188.7	217.6	211.3			
Tobacco, confectionery.....	213.3	256.9	248.0	227.2	236.1	236.8	251.2	242.7	239.3	223.9	215.1	251.0	240.8			
Retail Sales.....	175.3	177.8	178.0	155.1	161.2	178.6	183.6	190.6	237.4	143.1	146.7	194.2	174.4			
Country general.....	166.1	177.7	160.1	170.5	174.4	171.6	174.0	165.0	196.8	127.0	127.2	157.9	160.9			
Department.....	164.3	166.2	150.3	110.8	139.4	183.8	193.1	225.8	253.6	122.6	130.2	200.5	165.2			
Variety.....	185.1	191.1	196.1	181.1	172.4	191.4	199.8	216.9	372.3	139.6	151.9	207.9	178.8			
Food.....	181.1	179.0	194.2	164.6	170.9	176.1	168.9	165.5	204.6	166.5	167.5	201.1	181.3			
Restaurants.....	188.0	189.1	186.9	194.9	198.6	192.1	196.1	194.8	196.8	179.7	171.3	195.4	191.6			
Family clothing.....	206.6	196.7	180.4	160.2	150.1	189.9	229.9	233.6	262.9	124.2	128.5	220.3	188.0			
Men's clothing.....	199.8	181.3	188.4	142.4	128.2	174.8	207.7	229.6	296.6	118.3	120.8	205.8	164.8			
Women's clothing.....	228.8	201.6	191.9	155.3	153.8	200.8	218.8	224.6	293.3	136.6	139.3	257.8	200.3			
Shoes.....	204.1	197.5	213.1	163.4	154.9	195.7	173.6	181.1	245.2	99.4	108.3	225.9	178.0			
Drugs.....	169.2	168.4	168.1	168.0	170.5	177.3	186.2	186.8	261.2	178.5	167.6	188.4	174.3			
Furniture.....	136.6	165.8	139.2	116.4	122.6	134.8	142.9	145.3	149.2	90.6	112.6	143.1	159.0			
Hardware.....	160.1	190.8	194.2	175.6	180.1	182.7	184.7	181.7	192.3	119.9	119.0	167.2	189.4			
Jewelry.....	175.9	182.0	195.3	177.5	191.4	208.4	203.6	255.1	605.9	148.7	168.0	304.1	118.1			
Radio and electrical.....	108.4	114.6	110.7	91.9	94.9	112.4	113.0	117.6	135.8	90.2	94.4	112.4	112.0			
Adjusted																
Retail Sales.....	176.3	179.9	173.0	170.9	173.6	178.9	174.7	181.9	172.8	175.0	185.0	201.7	179.5			
Country general.....	176.0	164.1	163.4	159.0	161.0	164.0	160.6	160.2	163.1	166.0	171.8	179.2	179.2			
Department.....	174.0	160.0	143.2	156.9	165.4	179.7	171.4	194.7	153.4	163.3	181.1	215.5	172.1			
Variety.....	196.2	191.6	189.5	186.8	184.4	191.2	199.0	217.2	184.1	223.0	223.6	233.7	212.0			
Food.....	180.5	175.9	192.1	174.8	183.0	168.2	175.1	172.3	176.2	176.2	182.4	188.1	185.1			
Restaurants.....	190.8	185.1	186.4	187.8	182.7	184.4	195.1	204.4	190.6	189.1	194.0	195.9	195.0			
Family clothing.....	176.7	189.0	183.4	191.8	184.0	195.2	198.0	183.1	183.3	184.7	198.6	231.9	178.0			
Men's clothing.....	177.6	185.5	180.9	170.2	160.4	172.2	193.8	187.2	172.6	166.6	192.1	217.5	168.9			
Women's clothing.....	181.5	191.2	179.5	190.0	196.9	204.5	191.8	204.8	190.6	191.1	221.7	259.1	175.9			
Shoes.....	150.2	177.2	165.6	183.8	181.3	169.9	179.5	191.3	168.8	143.7	183.1	243.1	160.0			
Drugs.....	174.6	173.4	177.0	171.2	172.0	172.3	182.8	184.6	205.5	187.5	185.9	186.5	183.5			
Furniture.....	126.7	132.3	140.6	155.0	120.2	112.6	124.2	137.8	125.7	151.1	144.3	165.8	146.8			
Hardware.....	159.6	148.5	160.7	162.2	168.3	183.5	184.4	181.0	177.8	199.8	218.0	229.9	185.0			
Jewelry.....	222.5	202.9	206.0	218.1	198.7	224.4	226.0	250.2	238.6	208.3	241.2	267.0	118.1			
Radio and electrical.....	115.1	99.8	118.8	110.3	104.3	99.7	97.6	103.0	106.6	118.6	122.3	131.2	114.3			

17. AUTOMOBILE FINANCING

Classification	1944								1945				
	May	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Automobile Financing—													
Total new and used cars—													
Number.....	3,989	3,182	2,768	2,597	2,339	2,304	1,589	1,491	1,742	2,422	2,792	2,426	
Percentage change.....	-12.6	-27.2	-31.5	-24.3	-23.2	-16.7	-32.1	-32.1	-24.0	-19.0	-19.0	-33.0	
Financing..... \$000	1,720	1,386	1,275	1,185	1,062	1,056	853	853	809	1,277	1,478	1,151	
Percentage change.....	+2.2	-12.6	-17.2	-11.7	-15.9	-10.6	-12.6	-16.0	-15.0	+5.0	+4.0	-33	

V. External Trade

18. EXTERNAL TRADE EXCLUDING GOLD (\$000's)

Imports.....	1944												1945			
	May	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May			
Domestic Exports.....	362357	343158	278713	257021	264619	313962	312491	266879	230498	236364	301175	312323	315192			
Foreign Exports.....	2492	2829	3070	2,165	2,722	4,457	4962	8270	3,364	3,968	5,831	5,788	3,631			
Total Trade.....	369849	346087	281783	259186	271340	318419	317453	275149	233896	240032	307006	318106	318524			
Positive Balance of Trade.....	211811	193509	133331	101862	107631	158399	178556	142933	104177	127900	174521	184284	174879			
Net exports of non-monetary gold	9400	10,900	6,800	10,000	8,700	8,400	10,100	5,900	8,700	8,400	10,200	6,800	10,200			
Duty collected.....	16279	14,835	12,278	15,954	16,428	15,461	14,013	13,061	13,198	12,189	16,243	14,154	14,076			

V. External Trade

19. IMPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, EXCLUDING GOLD

(in thousands of dollars)

	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
All countries	159,038	152,478	148,452	157,324	159,710	160,050	141,617	127,217	129,685	112,373	132,486	133,827	143,844
Empire countries....	24,336	20,276	16,002	11,242	16,389	31,736	19,127	16,603	21,429	13,622	19,555	20,598	30,101
Foreign countries....	134,702	132,202	132,450	146,082	143,321	128,314	122,490	110,412	108,256	98,751	112,931	113,229	113,743
British East Africa.....	92	150	74	25	86	59	197	54	191	29	152	132	346
British South Africa.....	145	431	271	151	493	575	454	896	360	594	510	927	635
Southern Rhodesia.....	1	2		1	49	51	36	53	6	99	58	53	53
British West Africa.....	1,449	622	384	21	90	744	562	91	651	1,290	1,559	927	1,491
Bermuda.....	448			15	8		10	2	3	1	1		20
British India.....	3,957	2,270	2,629	1,156	2,272	3,015	2,517	1,078	6,054	1,363	3,099	1,752	4,400
Ceylon.....	482	403		1	439	336	614		1,464	4	528	450	1,161
British Guiana.....	510	681	1,078	961	653	557	346	231	464	569	860	1,059	985
Barbados.....	915	700	650	802	722	1,438	605	475	130	685	494	336	384
Jamaica.....	880	1,369	1,191	1,413	871	1,800	403	536	746	211	422	201	540
Trinidad and Tobago.....	6	239	106	84	969	74	27	16	153	317	27	838	119
Other British West Indies.....													
India.....	105	106	28	46	49	81	104	89	190	96	104	45	32
Newfoundland.....	534	1,144	1,353	1,298	1,033	567	1,004	508	433	339	383	428	852
Australia.....	839	834	1,567	915	876	2,466	356	1,729	502	467	1,713	1,410	1,368
Fiji.....	572	447			559		417	638		638			38
New Zealand.....	248	1,441	691	6	275	1,687	208	825	505	81	137	40	2,132
United Kingdom.....	13,044	9,412	8,863	4,664	7,092	18,086	11,137	9,393	9,393	6,741	9,284	11,974	15,179
United States.....	127,041	122,240	124,008	128,282	135,868	121,389	116,987	102,945	101,833	92,805	105,334	102,697	104,753
Argentina.....	921	373	831	842	941	547	548	692	726	447	737	908	1,009
Bolivia.....							5		5		20		
Brazil.....	310	1,394	673	397	473	334	567	333	251	295	451	1,043	259
Chile.....	56	129	21	75	45	147	100	27	45	36	76	26	65
China.....						1							
Colombia.....	1,425	1,619	1,071	1,631	916	2,039	1,094	992	842	537	1,062	1,030	1,012
Costa Rica.....	98	219	82	207	370	27	27	23	25	36	3	2	27
Cuba.....	443	338	315	426	227	261	269	166	422	642	156	224	615
Ecuador.....	146	88	9	10	96	3	186	8	170	137	26	262	282
Egypt.....		9	6	36	3	1	26	10	25	58		42	
Guatemala.....	676	752	78	64	2	7	11	35	28	95	47	155	105
Haiti.....	17	693	768	286	13	25	14	22	16	48	38	50	48
Honduras.....	85	92	96	112	135	170	193	231	408	382	659	862	721
Mexico.....	1,258	957	1,283	937	999	751	988	1,218	732	1,065	1,687	1,590	1,392
Netherlands West Indies.....													
India.....	260	16								149	180	77	54
Nicaragua.....	1												
Panama.....		1	2				2		1			8	5
Paraguay.....	15	26		54	43	11	5		10	12	30	9	
Peru.....	4	21	17		1	11	4	2	5	7	14	56	11
Portugal.....	109	110	123	189	77	69	117	126	89	65	60	62	163
Salvador.....	259	719	65	167	165	22	84	61	89			419	268
San Domingo.....	6	305	882	6	859	18	332	751	534	280	166	776	373
Spain.....	287	195	200	242	117	246	250	571	257	163	131	445	393
Sweden.....	6										7	1	
Switzerland.....	227	690	375	400	304	118	77	894	206	100	453	443	606
Puerto Rico.....	5	12	16	6	6	7	9		9				3
Uruguay.....		25	23			38		6	15	1		18	6
Venezuela.....	661	634	1,682	1,349	1,823	1,826	1,374	1,225	960	1,087	926	1,582	1,003

V. External Trade

20. SUMMARY OF CANADA'S IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD)

(in thousands of dollars)

	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Total Imports (excluding gold).....	159,033	152,478	148,452	157,324	159,710	160,050	141,617	127,217	129,685	112,373	132,486	133,827	143,844
Agricultural products (total).....	22,415	22,748	18,872	14,806	15,031	18,873	15,220	16,026	19,201	14,816	17,877	20,729	22,554
Fruits.....	6,217	6,493	6,526	6,403	5,217	5,436	4,223	5,019	4,798	3,850	5,051	5,128	6,351
Nuts.....	1,931	1,369	903	617	589	993	1,162	1,988	729	771	647	614	1,323
Vegetables.....	2,955	2,016	733	100	110	552	655	996	1,474	1,392	1,953	2,228	2,729
Grains and products.....	578	837	1,570	935	434	888	1,235	930	585	794	1,191	880	851
Oils, vegetable.....	1,149	671	972	717	1,027	1,264	781	653	999	676	1,138	1,442	1,467
Cocoa and chocolate.....	1,104	347	398	23	114	528	8	25	90	737	123	633	596
Coffee and chicory.....	1,370	3,360	1,155	1,101	869	1,120	878	327	240	73	168	867	912
Tea.....	1,777	789	896	.....	907	1,529	1,688	.....	4,311	689	1,991	1,426	3,243
Alcoholic beverages.....	500	374	459	359	350	452	822	614	697	433	514	437	477
Gums and resins.....	248	448	207	216	186	183	283	465	453	506	482	257	376
Animal products (total).....	2,921	2,971	2,535	1,948	2,561	3,456	3,411	3,843	3,841	3,251	3,878	3,679	4,234
Furs (chiefly raw).....	438	544	334	236	794	1,814	1,369	1,728	1,942	1,569	1,640	1,640	789
Hides, raw.....	223	421	311	231	374	481	336	271	510	144	228	119	759
Fibres and Textiles (total).....	17,679	16,908	14,745	13,471	12,009	20,032	17,628	16,107	16,683	13,201	21,113	16,705	17,006
Cotton (total).....	8,355	8,155	8,036	8,268	6,103	7,029	9,674	8,061	7,454	6,970	10,281	7,205	6,203
Raw, and linters.....	2,191	3,365	3,524	3,675	2,230	2,474	5,764	4,582	3,330	3,011	4,271	3,070	2,269
Yarn.....	858	651	220	515	1,022	786	575	773	638	313	850	580	560
Fabrics.....	3,778	3,558	3,767	3,585	2,423	3,189	2,931	2,859	3,071	3,007	4,417	3,861	2,841
Flax, hemp and jute (total).....	2,388	1,447	1,508	1,536	1,124	1,728	1,523	1,310	2,583	593	1,359	999	2,115
Wool (total).....	2,379	3,587	2,321	1,005	1,968	6,886	2,560	2,685	3,388	2,287	4,339	3,931	4,089
Wood and Paper (total).....	3,563	3,341	3,325	3,626	3,787	4,501	3,932	3,501	3,595	3,165	4,423	4,298	4,330
Wood, unmanufactured (total).....	443	423	460	526	586	602	471	390	438	338	661	570	622
Wood, manufactured.....	878	562	553	559	605	728	672	650	656	537	734	703	751
Paper.....	1,047	976	951	1,020	1,014	1,229	1,169	967	984	915	1,182	1,191	1,192
Books and printed matter.....	1,404	1,379	1,361	1,521	1,583	1,942	1,619	1,493	1,517	1,375	1,946	1,835	1,706
Iron and products (total).....	39,482	33,216	35,201	43,259	35,917	36,969	30,926	29,780	32,589	27,923	34,699	34,079	35,038
Castings and forgings.....	553	508	458	414	695	674	595	823	722	832	975	838	902
Rolling mill products.....	4,328	3,701	4,291	4,943	4,845	5,449	4,682	4,016	3,533	3,670	4,893	5,063	4,616
Engines and boilers.....	5,681	3,808	5,384	13,334	5,386	5,311	3,403	3,627	3,173	2,369	2,648	1,858	2,402
Farm implements.....	3,704	3,868	5,097	4,685	3,563	3,594	2,517	2,872	4,315	2,935	4,429	4,491	4,328
Machinery (except agricultural).....	7,560	6,934	5,670	6,598	5,818	5,352	5,618	4,962	6,133	5,268	7,935	8,052	8,971
Tools.....	772	676	657	802	605	672	701	313	646	614	689	708	612
Vehicles.....	10,112	7,482	6,863	7,071	6,974	8,408	6,944	7,611	9,007	7,941	7,764	7,734	7,175
Non-ferrous metals (total).....	11,083	10,088	7,816	8,358	10,321	8,000	7,602	7,268	8,006	7,094	9,367	9,660	10,108
Electrical apparatus.....	6,817	5,465	3,994	4,377	6,390	4,140	3,739	3,364	3,976	3,278	4,586	4,226	3,964
Non-metallic minerals (total).....	23,797	24,618	23,467	26,638	26,112	27,539	24,682	18,159	16,059	15,703	19,030	21,144	21,837
Clay products.....	1,025	1,062	778	678	728	1,732	1,394	1,066	1,031	767	1,145	1,262	1,185
Coal.....	8,994	9,587	10,180	10,813	11,541	10,604	10,164	7,475	6,867	6,810	7,570	7,513	7,151
Coke.....	786	874	927	919	961	805	799	516	467	459	843	1,040	1,202
Glass and glassware.....	1,215	1,001	538	1,042	1,158	1,713	1,402	1,177	1,163	1,046	1,603	1,639	1,507
Petroleum products.....	6,535	6,759	8,628	11,180	9,152	10,413	8,632	6,002	4,930	5,130	5,915	7,389	8,527
Stone and products.....	937	1,082	1,002	1,065	1,030	1,072	828	726	612	807	807	807	807
Chemicals (total).....	8,043	7,519	6,471	6,887	5,979	7,089	6,054	5,881	6,149	5,336	7,501	6,801	7,010
Cellulose products.....	432	436	400	368	394	477	425	407	390	399	475	461	518
Drugs and medicines.....	555	596	520	656	553	737	705	697	859	501	805	822	925
Dyeing and tanning materials.....	644	637	482	705	491	612	540	555	457	614	801	689	735
Fertilizers.....	427	228	298	399	260	301	377	302	219	245	259	263	255
Paints and varnishes.....	689	598	553	576	564	750	631	557	651	541	797	801	783
Inorganic chemicals (total).....	1,375	1,044	939	1,109	874	1,201	891	672	775	651	971	919	1,008
Soda and compounds.....	607	371	284	252	348	454	436	258	314	250	258	256	337
*Miscellaneous commodities (total).....	30,056	31,069	30,020	38,451	47,393	33,594	31,561	26,671	23,584	21,884	14,902	16,732	21,666
Scientific equipment.....	780	749	741	583	634	824	729	579	778	688	814	776	741
Vehicles, n.o.p. (except iron).....	5,008	5,444	4,587	5,895	5,759	5,217	4,456	5,072	2,444	2,093	2,117	1,678	1,668

*Included certain military stores.

V. External Trade

21. CANADA'S DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, EXCLUDING GOLD

(in thousands of dollars)

	1944							1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
All countries.....	368,357	343,159	378,713	257,021	264,619	313,982	312,491	298,879	230,495	235,264	301,175	312,323
Empire countries.....	180,223	164,197	147,204	123,876	117,114	151,592	145,102	108,579	116,940	104,236	154,938	157,336
Foreign countries.....	188,134	178,961	131,509	133,145	147,505	162,370	167,389	158,300	113,555	132,128	146,237	154,997
British East Africa.....	371	349	1,145	358	894	407	918	258	516	399	187	91
British South Africa.....	1,425	2,417	2,648	1,281	2,616	1,821	2,409	1,328	2,365	2,156	2,956	2,399
Southern Rhodesia.....	46	165	164	50	168	128	124	35	143	195	168	133
British West Africa.....	442	197	17	158	15	230	230	31	73	122	108	135
Bermuda.....	249	213	164	143	132	183	199	134	177	342	222	211
British India.....	17,892	13,259	19,091	16,813	6,684	20,064	24,220	17,016	18,022	22,080	31,930	29,138
Ceylon.....	231	443	893	555	268	384	463	1,670	676	721	379	327
British Guiana.....	1,189	606	96	163	747	92	719	347	351	441	590	854
Barbados.....	79	532	517	507	215	359	543	463	28	501	248	374
Jamaica.....	1,562	1,410	2,162	1,456	611	1,001	1,041	900	1,591	715	962	1,473
Trinidad and Tobago.....	2,121	1,825	1,440	1,682	1,190	1,440	1,510	732	1,357	840	1,274	2,223
British West Indies, other.....	248	763	564	592	350	418	525	496	265	438	603	579
Newfoundland.....	4,460	5,750	4,077	4,361	5,446	5,369	4,483	4,106	3,787	1,532	2,972	3,017
Australia.....	7,771	3,860	7,376	1,500	2,066	4,199	2,211	1,594	1,790	3,521	581	5,761
Fiji.....	113	4	.....	3	111	41	2	0	.....	5	8	93
New Zealand.....	56	2,122	239	1,274	25	1,901	700	69	1,382	1,753	867	926
Palestine.....	94	130	155	393	228	260	327	204	16	191	349	121
Eire.....	1,456	846	1,529	1,687	782	432	1,321	976	598	766	698	286
United Kingdom.....	140,249	127,929	104,906	90,202	94,425	112,639	102,214	77,883	83,230	67,481	108,802	109,091
United States.....	131,907	111,187	98,790	85,945	110,457	123,050	118,914	126,369	84,703	91,518	103,342	109,121
Argentina.....	257	139	334	327	212	211	886	269	109	462	487	484
Bolivia.....	33	22	8	24	14	21	26	10	27	3	.....	.....
Brazil.....	517	529	699	607	773	636	1,049	524	707	359	723	1,013
Chile.....	192	211	177	72	135	296	112	156	121	84	216	191
China.....	47	7,002	1	21	8	7	8	2	1	4	17	1
Colombia.....	318	232	99	231	196	290	240	163	101	165	411	332
Costa Rica.....	37	13	16	25	9	32	8	11	9	29	.....	.....
Cuba.....	146	281	266	237	283	647	437	243	462	271	411	363
Ecuador.....	26	26	20	8	28	47	19	33	14	9	.....	.....
Egypt.....	11,093	20,588	9,047	9,928	5,317	2,399	7,273	3,081	2,314	5,016	5,743	4,411
French Possessions.....	3,973	3,172	3,180	770	2,027	4,255	4,332	2,312	1,146	1,165	1,760	1,190
Guatemala.....	22	17	55	26	21	46	30	9	36	19	15	27
Haiti.....	5	73	39	20	17	52	39	76	12	51	36	90
Honduras.....	15	5	3	.....	2	15	22	14	.....	5	.....	.....
Iceland.....	272	275	331	307	116	36	112	320	249	107	512	162
Iraq.....	777	968	970	404	108	103	238	67	231	112	90	154
Italy.....	10,864	19,080	4,062	20,841	12,768	9,158	13,589	11,109	12,711	10,234	14,346	14,731
Mexico.....	491	570	871	419	501	771	691	508	621	550	680	606
Netherlands West Indies.....	36	111	17	62	17	43	27	37	40	49	51	74
Nicaragua.....	10	27	24	21	5	54	24	5	19	39	38	13
Panama.....	57	82	28	35	39	120	40	62	31	70	53	114
Peru.....	12	10	94	180	142	106	138	.....	126	7	25	487
Portugal.....	145	146	53	107	122	120	141	80	148	174	189	136
Portuguese Africa.....	13	127	126	66	21	26	34	6	45	69	22	32
Russia.....	3	48	109	2	7	28	54	12	47	419	73	78
Salvador.....	13,155	9,828	10,429	6,961	9,069	8,276	13,501	7,634	4,380	4,602	4,655	6,223
San Domingo.....	19	20	16	21	10	27	34	22	12	7	.....	.....
Spain.....	24	43	31	45	11	25	18	44	51	28	55	70
Switzerland.....	65	1	.....	22	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	490	.....	145
Turkey.....	2,750	2,647	347	2,334	1,155	1,702	1,454	999	919	1,232	1,380	1,549
Hawaii.....	26	88	3	64	.....	44	63	254	31	59	17	106
Puerto Rico.....	90	236	254	412	204	236	19	126	408	321	312	410
Uruguay.....	168	205	69	231	253	183	142	156	97	201	277	290
Venezuela.....	105	63	148	113	75	110	238	27	107	36	91	224
.....	242	98	81	148	96	290	191	174	154	68	404	317

V. External Trade

22. SUMMARY OF CANADA'S EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD)

(in thousands of dollars)

	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Total Domestic Exports.....	368,357	343,158	278,713	257,021	264,619	313,962	312,491	286,879	230,498	236,364	301,175	312,323	315,192
Agricultural products (total).....	90,991	67,192	51,735	42,644	66,131	74,544	68,807	63,548	26,415	32,328	41,949	60,618	76,919
Fruits.....	274	212	117	613	1,309	2,082	2,509	1,899	928	1,044	1,216	776	648
Vegetables.....	1,137	1,132	665	1,082	750	1,744	1,991	1,434	1,825	2,965	2,777	2,213	1,393
Grains (total).....	62,658	47,950	37,270	27,920	45,393	53,187	42,840	45,266	6,472	12,598	16,378	33,651	50,046
Barley.....	3,717	2,677	3,410	3,397	3,486	9,390	8,530	4,160	551	298	275	5,682	3,983
Wheat.....	45,060	32,685	32,255	21,243	33,979	36,754	29,327	34,393	6,006	9,265	12,971	20,591	40,303
Wheat flour.....	10,311	8,757	6,701	4,961	7,915	7,162	6,494	8,106	5,843	6,799	8,188	9,225	9,584
Alcoholic beverages.....	1,417	1,868	1,227	1,630	1,750	2,250	2,652	2,177	2,197	2,370	2,593	2,424	2,903
Seeds.....	7,908	499	27	785	2,609	1,781	2,341	3,614	1,560	1,420	3,024	3,278	1,622
Animal products (total).....	40,332	37,868	34,370	32,062	27,659	23,678	32,846	27,448	30,513	24,051	40,989	34,798	33,913
Cattle (except for stock).....	699	620	601	481	447	468	467	365	258	276	388	602	877
Fishery products.....	3,884	5,474	7,012	5,815	6,930	4,892	7,647	4,287	4,361	4,403	5,447	6,066	6,388
Furs (chiefly raw).....	1,897	2,005	2,094	940	922	1,286	1,094	3,769	3,900	2,664	2,626	1,889	2,285
Hides, raw.....	62	50	51	46	66	25	15	24	33	.....	1	46	23
Leather, unmanufactured.....	221	298	239	190	246	233	264	198	266	232	332	388	380
Leather, manufactured.....	288	583	397	342	266	230	344	200	214	139	377	296	203
Meats.....	27,823	23,564	16,496	13,284	11,064	7,221	14,787	11,848	15,875	11,351	21,761	14,584	16,133
Butter.....	287	174	299	114	114	136	159	140	84	210	206	283	285
Cheese.....	670	602	1,365	5,940	4,290	2,674	3,164	1,107	799	1,692	506	359	359
Eggs.....	2,582	2,450	2,027	2,123	1,559	2,638	2,342	1,728	2,270	1,938	6,281	7,249	5,281
Fibres and Textiles (total).....	4,065	5,472	3,700	4,164	4,701	7,431	6,143	6,988	5,033	4,654	7,968	7,401	4,291
Cotton.....	534	713	408	439	367	2,601	1,831	811	765	1,306	1,452	1,249	385
Flax.....	192	226	102	228	216	200	37	101	55	41	372	157	136
Wool.....	789	2,655	1,342	1,835	1,706	2,757	2,739	3,497	1,598	1,137	1,916	3,823	589
Artificial silk.....	597	281	497	666	646	659	863	337	892	551	424	1,312	1,367
Wood and paper (total).....	36,040	38,829	37,565	39,704	39,775	45,890	42,111	35,737	31,854	33,052	39,149	37,018	39,269
Planks and boards.....	6,034	7,079	7,831	8,382	9,661	10,516	10,004	8,597	6,402	6,621	7,467	6,500	6,746
Timber, square.....	62	55	57	70	56	187	110	67	67	84	40	22	49
Shingles, red cedar.....	638	595	610	616	569	639	622	568	551	705	752	615	663
Pulpwood.....	721	1,817	1,650	2,247	2,335	3,575	1,693	1,271	1,526	1,869	1,241	891	1,253
Wood pulp.....	9,224	9,044	7,891	9,812	8,191	11,294	8,430	7,869	6,922	7,617	9,845	8,262	10,190
Wood pulp, newsprint.....	14,106	14,391	12,862	13,429	13,437	14,265	14,015	12,179	11,313	11,852	14,125	14,819	14,684
Iron and products (total).....	62,738	66,271	60,827	50,165	60,321	65,344	71,127	43,959	55,719	54,321	67,820	68,419	59,719
Pipes, ingots, etc.....	1,614	1,025	1,680	1,240	2,801	1,631	1,480	1,334	1,269	1,244	1,982	1,738	2,435
Rolling mill products.....	858	1,263	1,033	899	349	1,244	1,027	1,019	586	648	1,610	1,056	1,181
Tubes and pipes.....	308	307	108	185	637	238	249	121	231	302	360	226	283
Farm implements.....	1,259	1,137	1,449	867	531	1,226	1,425	611	914	1,525	1,598	1,795	1,924
Hardware and cutlery.....	481	290	267	263	295	330	416	209	232	300	335	407	271
Machinery, other than farm.....	3,312	1,914	2,734	1,869	1,769	2,322	3,270	1,944	2,145	1,949	1,900	1,017	1,884
Motor vehicles and parts.....	54,660	38,088	38,725	27,881	27,644	40,035	42,972	21,924	37,354	34,211	41,634	43,688	35,474
Non-ferrous metals (excluding gold).....	31,884	35,699	21,821	22,619	26,186	34,427	37,140	27,405	31,263	33,970	40,356	36,426	29,891
Non-metallic minerals (total).....	4,639	6,056	4,616	5,353	5,599	6,170	4,943	3,609	4,503	3,656	4,628	4,785	4,736
Coal.....	798	536	681	479	623	392	391	502	448	424	466	452	413
Petroleum.....	136	1,457	780	1,203	1,256	2,110	933	280	1,167	92	354	179	267
Stone.....	1,456	1,426	957	1,547	1,355	1,212	1,259	1,007	934	1,196	1,306	1,288	1,401
Chemicals (total).....	8,537	11,530	7,199	7,316	7,293	9,536	10,135	8,116	8,011	10,676	12,924	12,565	13,224
Acids.....	217	216	131	202	249	196	188	282	142	188	354	342	370
Fertilizers.....	2,076	2,060	1,216	1,065	1,556	2,271	1,726	1,936	2,428	2,823	2,372	2,170	2,921
Soda compounds.....	185	152	112	139	458	553	614	456	528	428	607	537	565
*Miscellaneous (total).....	59,109	54,241	36,878	52,992	47,054	46,944	39,219	45,072	37,168	39,642	45,592	50,171	53,129
Electric energy.....	746	737	706	321	981	731	553	603	533	466	434	606	687
Films.....	226	182	157	169	45	170	69	165	269	251	202	121	144

*Includes certain military stores.

23. CANAL CARGO TRAFFIC

Canal	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Sault Ste. Marie 000 tons.....	16,383	17,044	17,449	17,199	15,962	14,863	9,188	747	.....	.....	.....	9,780	.....
Welland.....000 tons.....	1,446	1,534	1,640	1,530	1,505	1,252	1,241	124	.....	.....	.....	1,064	.....
St. Lawrence 000 tons.....	775	829	924	904	814	827	660	8	.....	.....	.....	345	.....

VI. Transportation

24. RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADED IN TONS

Commodity	1944							1945		
	Mar.	April	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS—										
Wheat.....	1,368,300	1,365,103	1,868,931	1,751,712	1,384,887	1,032,827	1,332,380	959,150	604,500	805,884
Corn.....	14,473	6,367	3,598	3,706	20,345	36,517	34,462	21,027	21,251	26,834
Oats.....	197,106	355,857	262,159	294,235	244,100	192,606	160,426	269,111	363,563	306,147
Barley.....	147,744	310,927	190,102	357,436	509,001	181,647	180,745	311,948	206,098	140,669
Rye.....	22,006	15,687	5,321	18,082	14,872	14,171	13,698	10,175	10,498	11,090
Flaxseed.....	28,950	18,374	17,081	22,676	67,120	77,589	30,916	22,643	13,698	17,333
Other grain.....	1,717	1,610	1,398	1,208	1,587	2,374	980	5,702	2,523	4,830
Flour.....	186,656	187,196	147,860	138,446	163,238	167,260	158,847	160,686	145,235	181,403
Other mill products.....	224,646	206,427	203,826	210,808	220,698	227,049	207,961	196,873	193,470	210,690
Hay and straw.....	78,145	42,008	13,570	38,004	57,836	64,888	33,705	27,478	31,875	42,507
Cotton.....	2,790	1,939	1,804	1,392	1,973	1,116	948	1,526	1,306	1,508
Apples (fresh).....	8,791	7,930	4,718	20,986	33,805	62,516	43,405	22,408	23,152	18,851
Other fruit (fresh).....	1,347	1,177	21,450	40,587	15,174	2,800	2,716	1,268	1,171	1,172
Potatoes.....	67,144	64,690	14,485	25,766	72,403	82,421	59,298	47,680	58,338	77,346
Other fresh vegetables.....	10,114	7,835	17,195	28,890	28,995	28,088	13,026	12,917	16,672	16,376
Other agricultural products.....	35,645	36,444	29,935	46,561	187,900	149,533	138,901	60,891	37,985	42,953
ANIMAL PRODUCTS—										
Horses.....	8,492	10,589	4,768	4,990	5,424	5,371	4,461	3,733	3,332	9,484
Cattle and calves.....	39,099	41,941	57,803	64,097	73,954	78,767	61,589	56,884	45,896	49,667
Sheep.....	2,836	2,796	4,070	5,825	11,873	12,828	4,148	3,124	3,775	2,661
Hogs.....	60,154	53,510	32,232	28,055	36,105	80,778	49,173	45,646	36,521	38,338
Dressed meats (fresh).....	14,298	13,892	11,222	10,635	22,056	22,492	21,767	33,982	31,336	33,496
(cured, salted, canned).....	62,598	43,967	29,647	23,235	17,433	31,492	31,710	32,468	20,734	28,408
Other packing house products (edible).....	11,185	7,556	10,636	9,873	9,912	6,678	6,025	4,502	4,323	4,774
Poultry.....	750	715	873	1,190	1,989	2,089	10,217	1,160	368	43
Eggs.....	7,362	9,008	6,135	5,742	8,967	3,225	2,902	6,024	6,984	12,688
Butter and cheese.....	8,254	7,016	17,290	12,411	17,360	11,519	9,908	7,689	6,420	6,059
Wool.....	3,660	2,823	3,009	2,126	2,505	3,400	2,694	3,078	2,657	4,507
Hides and leather.....	7,263	6,009	3,944	5,327	8,281	6,296	6,621	7,612	7,830	8,239
Other animal products.....	12,131	8,185	6,652	7,596	11,988	12,816	10,885	10,053	11,427	12,696
MINE PRODUCTS—										
Anthracite coal.....	5,909	1,398	979	617	220	883	624	536	142	697
Bituminous coal.....	793,000	791,314	692,644	695,006	692,608	705,095	638,892	702,075	652,396	707,722
Lignite coal.....	253,612	163,680	265,316	306,335	381,630	411,914	402,946	433,553	375,205	314,234
Coke.....	125,279	101,990	111,644	108,473	106,557	127,828	108,876	110,978	115,604	110,898
Iron ores.....	6,975	44,576	74,251	60,666	89,712	73,237	474	219	124	126
Other ores and concentrates.....	489,390	440,479	453,863	416,787	427,289	436,902	460,981	447,493	466,835	477,338
Base bullion and matte.....	94,827	113,801	80,853	110,785	100,121	114,481	110,983	109,003	108,153	141,663
Gravel, sand, stone (crushed).....	126,225	179,518	447,617	439,058	441,775	358,721	165,894	134,525	125,204	171,188
Slate or block stone.....	1,133	917	1,601	2,717	2,940	2,016	570	1,060	1,028	1,342
Crude petroleum.....	34,462	33,104	25,894	23,121	35,558	31,576	29,567	33,734	24,841	10,289
Asphalt.....	7,820	7,232	40,357	30,587	23,888	11,665	7,120	7,585	8,257	8,938
Salt.....	32,110	31,839	34,798	35,986	32,861	33,264	31,838	32,780	28,419	32,525
Other mine products.....	212,706	212,701	254,578	234,267	253,854	225,396	181,681	166,038	191,260	208,820
FOREST PRODUCTS—										
Logs, posts, poles, cordwood.....	232,536	196,237	176,152	160,426	181,326	202,406	172,870	176,317	202,243	226,347
Ties.....	14,225	17,821	20,638	18,053	14,160	15,519	14,104	10,865	9,679	10,911
Pulpwood.....	645,336	539,045	403,242	359,685	322,988	230,920	232,856	408,962	563,506	568,615
Lumber, timber, box, crate, and coopersage material.....	444,939	402,715	564,123	519,784	507,072	474,010	399,543	336,094	380,050	491,468
Other forest products.....	29,578	18,969	48,708	48,431	30,440	27,366	41,198	15,537	20,611	20,181

VI. Transportation

24. RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADED IN TONS—Concluded

Commodity	1944							1945		
	Mar.	April	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
MANUFACTURERS AND MISCELLANEOUS—										
Gasoline, petroleum products...	235,746	232,798	314,022	300,303	294,640	247,015	215,434	216,655	201,573	261,973
Sugar...	19,342	22,266	29,479	28,216	36,731	35,779	25,029	19,002	20,104	20,335
Iron, pig and bloom...	37,307	41,896	47,169	43,691	45,979	64,107	46,307	42,584	62,831	65,279
Rails and fastenings...	26,419	23,252	16,334	14,330	21,233	10,688	19,510	18,301	11,061	19,858
Iron and steel (bar, etc.)...	116,918	100,520	100,132	103,617	128,949	119,046	97,727	97,030	104,604	128,720
Castings, machinery and boilers...	15,307	13,642	12,970	13,175	14,312	14,826	13,845	13,201	14,973	15,047
Cement...	23,260	43,803	104,177	85,531	81,662	44,155	14,983	11,915	13,728	33,178
Brick and artificial stone...	13,606	15,406	24,085	23,283	23,881	20,711	17,437	15,923	16,501	19,791
Lime and plaster...	40,710	37,587	32,138	34,973	35,474	33,165	31,426	30,991	28,281	36,561
Sewer pipe and drain tile...	1,311	1,600	8,299	3,739	3,356	2,960	1,866	1,959	1,284	1,747
Agricultural implements and vehicles other than autos...	13,598	19,468	16,340	10,422	13,231	19,075	12,299	19,686	13,567	22,473
Automobiles and auto trucks...	213,806	178,258	148,431	165,638	144,982	191,856	138,633	158,656	159,234	189,434
Household goods...	3,567	6,429	2,194	2,800	5,248	4,708	2,039	1,566	1,345	5,827
Furniture...	3,747	4,320	3,424	3,601	4,091	3,721	3,508	4,140	3,950	4,725
Beverages...	45,886	46,018	47,725	45,365	44,693	40,117	50,276	42,121	41,453	45,332
Fertilizers, all kinds...	177,926	190,957	97,610	111,012	122,594	115,944	109,249	121,611	149,459	191,326
Paper, printed matter, books...	276,968	247,871	263,861	248,000	267,212	266,392	259,062	243,779	378,368	304,122
Wood-pulp...	156,831	163,318	146,808	125,965	135,903	135,307	125,098	120,936	132,100	159,925
Fish (fresh, frozen, cured)...	13,308	6,499	10,015	8,879	10,166	11,363	11,472	10,444	13,539	15,874
Canned goods (except meats)...	37,228	28,590	45,276	58,631	58,494	64,443	53,628	41,354	43,152	45,910
Other manufactures and miscellaneous...	768,678	726,826	758,903	747,992	799,935	775,097	693,525	713,269	694,077	888,091
Merchandise...	240,859	238,113	224,496	231,713	233,813	235,555	203,420	226,985	211,427	275,564
Grand Total 000 tons.....	8,880	8,335	9,289	9,298	9,561	9,528	7,885	7,747	7,493	8,488

25. RAILWAY OPERATING STATISTICS

Classification	1944										1945		
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Canadian National—													
Operating revenues.....\$000	30,882	32,138	33,213	34,348	34,257	33,972	33,269	32,809	34,568		28,546	27,089	32,403
Operating expenses.....\$000	24,966	25,901	25,662	26,398	29,085	28,899	29,056	28,374	28,566		25,354	24,743	25,787
Operating income.....\$000	5,916	6,237	7,551	7,950	5,172	5,073	4,213	4,435	6,002		3,192	2,346	6,616
No. of tons carried 000 tons	5,476	6,018	5,973	6,068	5,922	6,080	5,912	5,962	5,966		4,943	4,968	5,963
Ton miles.....000,000 tons	2,605	2,799	2,576	2,756	2,670	2,732	2,746	2,647	2,684		2,186	2,093	2,405
Passengers carried.....\$000	2,826	2,676	2,872	3,164	3,127	2,737	2,690	2,574	3,063		2,821	2,609	2,873
Passengers carried one mile.....000,000 pass.	278	265	321	351	336	283	262	243	361		229	203	252
Total pay-roll.....\$000	14,203	14,883	14,072	14,624	15,249	15,943	16,224	15,536	15,824		16,299	14,083	15,819
Number of employees.....000	90	90	94	95	95	95	96	93	92		94	90	93
Canadian Pacific—													
Operating revenues.....\$000	35,872	27,479	26,885	27,435	28,567	27,783	28,248	27,288	25,572		24,235	23,336	26,426
Operating expenses.....\$000	19,048	30,147	19,317	20,856	30,540	22,387	29,846	20,524	20,507		21,123	20,100	21,772
Operating income.....\$000	3,905	4,470	4,538	3,659	3,409	3,691	5,759	6,030	4,750		1,662	1,751	2,604
No. of tons carried 000 tons	4,315	4,845	4,792	4,478	4,754	4,779	5,023	5,097	4,263		4,154	4,147	4,580
Ton miles.....000,000 tons	2,153	2,379	2,309	2,323	2,303	2,293	2,497	2,406	2,341		2,088	2,035	2,226
Passengers carried.....\$000	1,524	1,365	1,572	1,961	1,875	1,622	1,398	1,236	1,790		1,467	1,398	1,628
Passengers carried one mile.....000,000 pass.	224	227	265	312	309	258	229	210	261		199	183	216
Total pay-roll.....\$000	9,953	10,598	10,465	10,527	10,835	11,196	11,443	11,309	11,253		11,779	10,636	11,617
Number of employees.....000	61	62	63	63	64	63	63	63	62		64	64	63
All Railways—													
Carloadings.....000 cars	284-00	318-00	315-00	297-00	317-00	317-00	330-00	327-00	272-00		279-00	264-00	300-00
Operating revenues.....\$000	63,536	66,599	67,010	69,025	65,900	65,235	68,258	66,294	65,104		58,359	55,112	61,689
Operating expenses.....\$000	46,259	50,863	49,504	51,805	63,581	56,030	64,536	53,404	53,235		50,759	48,958	51,726
Operating income.....\$000	10,613	11,204	12,577	12,577	2,207	8,984	10,503	10,640	11,258		4,687	4,377	9,237
No. of tons carried 000 tons	14,083	15,045	14,679	14,067	14,704	14,467	15,131	14,941	12,970		12,403	12,364	14,207
No. of tons carried one mile.....000,000 tons	5,749	5,769	5,457	5,640	5,947	5,562	6,212	5,967	5,192		4,750	4,612	5,175
Passengers carried.....\$000	4,736	4,448	4,901	5,648	5,559	4,761	4,465	4,145	5,237		4,098	4,362	4,823
Passengers carried one mile.....000,000 pass.	545	535	638	714	702	591	532	487	662		471	420	497
Total pay-roll.....\$000	25,914	27,322	27,004	27,378	28,089	29,138	29,654	27,777	29,017		29,974	28,180	29,305
Number of employees.....000	161	163	167	169	170	169	170	167	165		168	170	166

Carloadings, April, 292,000; May, 310,000.

VII. Employment

26. UNADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH—1926=100

Classification	1944												1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April			
AN INDUSTRIES.	158-5	178-2	180-5	183-5	184-3	185-5	183-3	183-6	186-7	188-4	178-9	178-2	178-9			
MANUFACTURING.	225-5	223-2	223-1	223-8	225-0	226-2	223-7	221-3	220-1	212-7	215-0	214-3	212-9			
Animal products—edible.	209-9	215-0	226-1	235-3	229-1	234-9	229-1	232-6	238-0	228-2	222-9	200-7	204-2			
Fur and products.	125-6	127-8	126-8	126-8	123-6	125-3	126-9	129-1	134-0	131-9	130-7	130-9	133-7			
Leather and products.	140-2	139-3	137-1	137-6	136-1	136-1	135-7	135-7	136-1	132-7	130-7	140-3	140-0			
Lumber and products.	115-4	115-9	119-6	128-0	131-3	132-6	126-1	122-3	120-7	115-2	117-3	118-2	120-2			
Rough and dressed lumber.	90-8	92-2	90-2	107-4	110-0	112-1	104-0	100-2	90-3	91-1	93-2	94-1	97-0			
Furniture.	123-7	123-3	125-3	129-8	129-3	129-2	124-9	126-5	126-2	126-8	128-6	129-3	128-0			
Other lumber products.	198-6	196-7	198-3	203-4	213-3	213-0	209-1	207-2	204-2	195-2	197-9	199-1	199-0			
Musical instruments.	29-5	29-5	28-8	30-1	28-4	29-3	28-5	27-7	29-2	29-3	29-2	29-7	28-6			
Plant products—edible.	150-6	151-3	152-8	163-1	170-1	170-7	174-1	180-9	185-4	165-4	165-1	163-2	160-5			
Pulp and paper products.	133-0	133-3	134-6	137-2	138-0	139-7	137-7	138-1	138-9	135-3	137-1	137-2	137-5			
Pulp and paper.	117-4	116-9	122-5	125-2	128-0	128-6	125-3	124-0	122-6	119-9	121-7	122-1	121-2			
Paper products.	209-0	208-8	204-7	208-6	206-7	212-5	209-4	212-3	214-1	208-1	210-1	211-5	212-9			
Printing and publishing.	127-7	127-3	126-9	128-9	130-0	130-3	131-0	131-7	133-7	132-3	132-7	133-7	133-4			
Rubber products.	159-5	163-7	164-4	164-2	163-6	170-7	171-2	173-9	179-2	174-1	181-3	180-9	181-3			
Textile products.	161-4	159-7	157-5	159-5	157-2	153-4	154-9	157-7	159-2	152-8	159-7	161-1	160-9			
Thread, yarn and cloth.	160-4	159-0	156-5	156-5	153-3	158-3	154-9	156-5	159-0	153-5	160-0	160-6	160-0			
Hosiery and knit goods.	151-3	150-0	143-7	146-6	143-2	143-3	143-6	146-2	147-5	143-9	148-8	146-8	147-2			
Garments and personal furnishings.	162-5	160-7	159-3	157-8	150-4	152-6	155-7	158-5	160-0	150-5	158-1	160-7	163-0			
Other textile products.	177-4	173-9	169-1	167-4	165-1	167-1	170-4	175-6	177-0	171-4	180-9	183-0	178-5			
Tobacco.	140-4	130-8	125-5	123-2	120-3	120-9	124-5	131-2	132-2	142-2	162-9	154-0	145-8			
Beverages.	220-3	226-2	241-4	246-7	258-6	261-7	263-4	269-4	261-6	260-1	262-3	261-1	263-6			
Chemicals and allied products.	590-3	588-5	593-8	607-0	608-6	614-4	611-7	619-5	618-6	602-8	609-2	604-2	597-0			
Clay, glass and stone products.	137-5	135-6	136-9	136-9	136-9	124-4	130-9	131-6	133-0	131-0	133-4	133-0	134-7			
Electric light and power.	124-6	135-6	140-9	145-7	149-2	150-6	137-3	145-1	144-5	142-0	141-4	141-2	140-5			
Electrical apparatus.	230-9	229-9	229-5	232-1	233-3	237-8	232-1	232-6	231-9	208-8	206-9	208-1	203-2			
Iron and steel products.	241-6	234-2	230-7	231-6	228-8	225-8	218-0	213-2	209-4	200-5	300-6	300-2	296-6			
Crods, rolled and forged products.	250-2	249-3	247-9	252-7	250-1	246-4	245-5	246-9	250-1	247-4	250-1	250-2	246-2			
Machinery.	221-8	222-6	220-6	223-0	222-9	222-0	218-2	218-1	223-1	219-9	223-4	222-8	220-6			
Agricultural implements.	122-2	121-7	123-1	123-9	128-8	127-8	128-1	130-6	132-4	130-7	132-8	137-8	135-2			
Land vehicles.	312-6	308-5	302-4	300-0	302-1	301-1	296-4	288-5	285-4	277-9	274-1	269-2	261-6			
Automobiles and parts.	294-6	288-6	282-7	293-4	294-9	294-7	293-1	291-3	292-7	289-0	289-8	288-5	283-8			
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.	1552-1	1553-0	1625-3	1634-9	1537-1	1512-1	1471-0	1460-2	1400-4	1323-6	1343-3	1285-0	1251-3			
Heating appliances.	164-0	164-3	164-1	167-2	168-0	173-6	173-3	178-1	181-7	177-1	180-6	193-2	193-2			
Iron and steel fabrication.	292-6	328-3	329-1	328-4	325-4	323-5	312-4	313-0	308-3	297-4	304-3	285-0	281-9			
Foundry and machine shop products.	270-4	267-6	280-1	232-0	230-7	234-0	234-0	236-1	235-2	233-2	239-3	240-4	237-2			
Other iron and steel products.	398-0	383-4	379-5	377-9	374-7	377-1	361-8	347-4	340-6	324-8	331-4	337-3	338-6			
Non-ferrous metal products.	453-9	454-3	453-4	460-0	463-6	427-2	411-9	403-8	399-9	382-3	384-7	386-8	386-8			
Non-metallic mineral products.	200-6	207-6	211-4	220-6	216-3	212-0	207-8	208-6	209-2	214-2	213-4	213-7	213-7			
Miscellaneous.	371-4	371-6	372-4	376-3	373-6	360-8	360-9	356-5	359-8	352-2	353-4	356-2	319-7			
LOGGING.	240-5	162-4	175-9	175-4	155-6	155-0	161-0	239-8	300-9	313-0	312-3	309-9	267-6			
MINTING.	159-1	155-4	182-0	183-1	185-1	183-6	180-6	149-2	161-5	146-6	145-1	150-7	149-5			
Coal.	99-2	97-0	94-8	95-9	96-0	95-4	95-5	95-7	97-4	91-2	97-2	96-2	94-4			
Metallic ores.	292-6	293-3	273-3	269-9	268-6	262-7	267-6	253-2	258-1	256-6	264-0	263-1	261-7			
Non-metallic (except minerals).	156-2	166-7	162-2	165-4	181-3	172-7	173-3	171-3	170-4	162-8	162-0	160-0	160-5			
COMMUNICATIONS.	105-5	106-1	107-8	110-0	112-9	113-1	111-6	110-7	110-6	110-7	110-2	111-3	112-1			
Telegraphs.	129-1	128-2	128-8	131-3	132-0	128-7	129-1	129-1	128-7	127-4	127-8	128-1	127-2			
Telephones.	99-0	100-1	102-1	104-2	107-4	107-6	106-6	105-6	105-4	105-8	105-8	106-8	107-6			
TRANSPORTATION.	117-1	120-0	122-4	124-8	125-2	124-1	125-2	123-9	124-2	122-3	118-7	117-0	120-6			
Street railways and carriages.	179-9	182-0	185-4	185-8	189-7	189-3	168-7	168-6	184-2	192-7	199-8	184-6	186-4			
Steam railways.	105-0	105-1	106-0	106-7	107-7	107-8	107-9	107-5	108-0	107-7	107-2	106-7	107-2			
Shipping and stevedoring.	90-9	110-3	111-7	110-2	117-3	111-6	118-0	112-3	111-2	97-3	81-6	81-4	95-6			
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.	81-8	87-2	101-3	110-8	124-3	130-8	114-2	112-7	109-5	98-2	89-9	89-2	87-0			
Building.	83-0	83-9	86-2	90-7	94-3	99-6	100-0	102-8	98-8	87-2	83-3	81-5	82-9			
Highway.	79-7	99-6	132-1	151-3	185-6	199-2	149-0	144-0	141-1	115-8	89-9	84-2	87-8			
Railway.	82-5	78-9	88-1	93-9	93-9	100-4	97-2	94-6	91-8	93-3	96-5	101-4	90-3			
SERVICES.	198-0	200-7	202-2	202-7	207-7	207-9	201-7	205-4	204-6	201-1	198-0	199-0	201-1			
Hotels and restaurants.	196-6	197-8	199-7	206-6	300-9	210-8	208-7	205-7	204-6	204-0	197-7	198-0	200-5			
Personal (chiefly laundries).	203-0	205-6	206-6	209-0	204-5	200-8	201-3	202-0	201-4	195-9	198-4	199-1	202-3			
TRADE.	159-4	160-4	161-3	161-1	161-7	163-5	165-7	170-3	179-0	180-8	169-4	167-0	172-6			
Retail.	166-4	167-7	168-6	167-5	167-4	166-7	171-8	177-7	180-0	192-7	177-3	172-8	180-6			
Wholesale.	141-4	142-1	142-7	145-8	147-3	150-0	150-6	151-0	150-7	150-0	151-0	153-6	153-6			

VII. Employment—Concluded

27. SEASONALLY ADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH

1926=100

Classification	1944												1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
All Industries.....	191.2	185.1	180.5	189.1	179.3	178.4	174.4	175.9	181.3	187.2	185.8	185.6	187.4	187.4	187.4	187.4
MANUFACTURING.....	227.1	221.2	218.7	221.2	219.9	219.8	216.6	219.1	222.8	227.7	223.7	218.9	214.4	214.4	214.4	214.4
Leather and products.....	135.0	133.7	133.2	138.1	133.5	131.6	131.1	136.8	142.1	153.2	145.5	136.6	136.2	136.2	136.2	136.2
Rough and dressed lumber.....	109.4	98.3	88.5	88.0	87.9	92.2	92.8	100.0	107.2	116.9	113.1	115.0	117.0	117.0	117.0	117.0
Furniture.....	124.7	125.9	127.2	132.7	135.7	131.2	119.1	117.6	120.9	134.5	129.2	129.8	130.9	130.9	130.9	130.9
Musical instruments.....	36.0	36.1	34.8	35.4	28.3	25.4	23.5	22.0	23.5	29.5	32.6	34.0	34.0	34.0	34.0	34.0
Pulp and paper.....	122.5	120.0	120.2	121.2	120.5	123.8	121.5	120.2	123.2	124.6	129.6	128.8	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5
Paper products.....	212.0	207.6	203.1	208.8	206.1	209.4	204.1	205.7	207.7	218.6	217.0	214.9	215.9	215.9	215.9	215.9
Printing and publishing.....	126.6	128.5	126.9	129.8	130.4	131.0	130.3	131.0	131.7	131.0	131.4	135.1	134.3	134.3	134.3	134.3
Rubber products.....	158.7	165.2	165.1	164.4	165.1	171.9	174.1	174.1	177.1	182.2	178.6	180.4	180.4	180.4	180.4	180.4
Textile products.....	156.4	155.4	155.5	158.2	158.4	155.6	153.1	155.2	160.2	160.8	160.7	158.1	155.9	155.9	155.9	155.9
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	150.0	159.0	156.2	158.2	159.4	154.8	155.7	156.5	157.0	155.5	160.3	157.7	155.6	155.6	155.6	155.6
Hosiery and knit goods.....	148.8	148.7	149.7	149.5	146.9	145.5	143.3	141.3	142.8	148.2	151.1	148.5	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7
Clay, glass and stone products.....	154.8	137.0	127.3	125.6	122.8	121.4	119.8	125.1	135.6	148.7	155.7	155.9	151.7	151.7	151.7	151.7
Electric light and power.....	138.9	138.2	140.1	143.8	144.7	144.5	142.0	142.8	145.8	145.3	145.9	145.9	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7
Electric apparatus.....	339.4	334.9	332.6	329.1	332.8	321.4	310.7	309.7	316.1	315.8	313.8	307.6	300.7	300.7	300.7	300.7
Iron and steel products.....	321.4	314.7	315.9	326.1	334.5	341.8	336.0	326.3	317.0	315.9	298.8	288.4	279.0	279.0	279.0	279.0
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	232.7	229.0	235.8	252.4	252.4	251.4	253.9	250.4	254.4	272.8	246.9	246.3	229.2	229.2	229.2	229.2
Machinery other than vehicles.....	224.4	223.0	218.4	218.8	219.8	220.9	216.0	216.2	220.3	224.8	220.1	227.1	222.8	222.8	222.8	222.8
Agricultural implements.....	118.1	109.6	109.2	110.3	123.1	143.8	133.6	132.4	153.0	147.4	130.3	126.2	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8
Logging.....	305.6	226.2	229.0	246.7	236.1	236.6	209.0	193.1	207.7	216.0	214.9	240.3	340.0	340.0	340.0	340.0
MINING.....	164.2	182.0	157.5	156.5	156.7	150.9	145.9	141.4	145.8	146.0	151.2	152.8	154.3	154.3	154.3	154.3
Metallic ores.....	239.1	258.1	276.3	269.9	262.3	257.3	250.5	244.2	244.7	263.1	269.6	268.5	267.6	267.6	267.6	267.6
Non-metallic minerals (except coal).....	172.6	166.2	157.5	156.6	167.7	160.4	158.2	159.8	167.2	174.1	193.1	180.6	177.3	177.3	177.3	177.3
Telephones.....	100.8	101.8	102.6	103.5	103.0	104.7	104.7	104.8	104.6	106.4	108.1	109.2	109.6	109.6	109.6	109.6
TRANSPORTATION.....	124.6	122.4	121.2	120.8	120.4	118.3	119.0	119.9	122.1	128.2	124.9	125.7	128.4	128.4	128.4	128.4
Street railway and cartage.....	185.1	184.4	185.4	184.8	185.9	183.8	182.1	185.9	189.3	194.2	192.1	190.7	191.8	191.8	191.8	191.8
Steam railways.....	108.6	108.1	107.7	105.6	104.8	103.7	103.5	105.0	107.4	108.7	110.7	111.0	110.9	110.9	110.9	110.9
Shipping and stevedoring.....	111.8	107.8	102.0	107.8	104.8	99.4	103.1	101.5	100.0	123.8	103.9	103.3	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	104.9	100.2	101.4	97.2	102.8	107.1	93.9	98.1	112.7	119.6	113.6	111.1	111.5	111.5	111.5	111.5
Building.....	102.0	91.2	84.7	83.7	82.9	86.0	85.2	87.7	94.8	102.6	102.0	102.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0
Railway.....	97.8	117.7	137.7	130.3	151.7	162.5	123.5	119.5	142.5	139.5	113.9	105.9	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3
Highway.....	102.3	83.7	80.3	81.2	85.3	84.4	85.7	93.2	106.4	113.2	110.2	110.4	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5
Hotels and restaurants.....	209.4	209.8	203.2	195.1	190.1	187.4	205.1	209.5	213.2	209.9	206.4	208.5	213.5	213.5	213.5	213.5
TRADE.....	160.4	160.2	160.8	159.3	162.6	163.2	165.2	168.1	172.6	173.2	176.1	177.1	173.6	173.6	173.6	173.6
Retail.....	170.5	169.1	169.8	167.3	172.0	171.8	174.2	177.4	182.4	182.1	180.4	177.2	184.8	184.8	184.8	184.8
Wholesale.....	144.4	144.4	143.4	144.7	146.0	147.6	146.1	147.3	149.1	152.8	153.5	157.6	156.9	156.9	156.9	156.9
Economic Areas—																
Maritime Provinces.....	158.6	184.9	179.6	190.6	178.7	178.1	182.1	179.9	191.0	184.5	185.5	187.2	192.0	192.0	192.0	192.0
Quebec.....	200.5	199.8	194.1	191.8	192.9	192.3	185.6	184.9	183.4	184.0	187.2	197.4	199.8	199.8	199.8	199.8
Ontario.....	187.8	182.6	180.8	181.6	182.5	183.2	179.6	181.5	186.7	192.1	190.2	187.6	187.6	187.6	187.6	187.6
Prairie Provinces.....	166.2	150.3	147.3	144.1	143.9	139.4	139.0	140.9	150.0	156.2	155.1	152.0	154.7	154.7	154.7	154.7
British Columbia.....	194.6	185.9	180.9	180.0	173.1	173.5	174.6	178.4	185.3	188.2	186.6	184.2	182.3	182.3	182.3	182.3
Cities—																
Montreal.....	199.0	190.8	182.9	181.4	179.7	180.1	178.3	178.7	179.7	190.8	188.7	186.6	185.4	185.4	185.4	185.4
Quebec.....	279.1	261.1	263.6	267.6	261.0	259.7	256.4	258.0	248.5	247.9	244.7	237.4	237.9	237.9	237.9	237.9
Toronto.....	201.8	196.5	196.5	196.6	195.7	195.1	190.7	192.2	192.6	198.5	197.3	196.4	193.3	193.3	193.3	193.3
Ottawa.....	165.0	162.8	162.3	165.0	165.4	166.2	165.2	165.8	175.1	181.4	174.1	170.1	167.2	167.2	167.2	167.2
Hamilton.....	179.3	179.3	178.8	182.9	179.8	181.0	180.5	179.7	182.6	183.8	184.3	183.4	183.1	183.1	183.1	183.1
Windsor.....	267.3	256.4	263.1	281.2	301.1	319.7	311.2	308.4	304.1	305.6	279.4	286.4	250.9	250.9	250.9	250.9
Winnipeg.....	149.9	144.9	144.6	142.3	142.4	138.5	140.5	145.0	148.9	145.0	151.1	145.3	145.3	145.3	145.3	145.3
Vancouver.....	250.7	241.0	238.7	242.4	228.5	227.2	226.1	228.1	234.9	237.6	235.1	228.7	227.1	227.1	227.1	227.1

28. OTHER LABOUR FACTORS—VITAL STATISTICS, IMMIGRATION

Classification	1944												1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Labour Factors—																
Percentage unemployment in																
trade unions.....	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Employment: Applications. No.	17991	246306	207633	192847	238033	193372	254837	209290	156930	249433	174333	169305	228035	228035	228035	228035
Vacancies..... No.	226324	312900	230868	306635	365146	236664	271350	205131	149943	224962	177650	177221	201722	201722	201722	201722
Placements..... No.	125026	182572	148478	140507	155117	141641	179880	156435	106916	151490	119386	116653	161993	161993	161993	161993
Strikes and Lockouts—																
Disputes in existence..... No.	10	25	23	21	25	9	12	10	11	16	17	21	9	9	9	9
Number of employees..... No.	14,923	26,043	5,975	9,696	12,771	1,034	4,157	1,456	3,133	5,409	4,962	4,670	4,363	4,363	4,363	4,363
Time lost in working days.....	126609	128422	9,491	25,968	121343	800	6,935	4,357	11,484	32,142	6,821	8,563	25,169	25,169	25,169	25,169
Vital Statistics—																
Births.....	11,370	12,035	11,802	12,051	11,203	10,422	10,997	10,421	10,982	11,200	10,218	11,809	11,817	11,817	11,817	11,817
Deaths.....	4,976	5,233	4,773	4,484	4,757	4,481	4,563	4,730	4,859	5,355	4,708	5,350	4,815	4,815	4,815	4,815
Marriages.....	3,925	4,229	6,873	5,777	4,788	5,323	4,799	3,759	4,193	3,166	3,061	2,687	3,835	3,835	3,835	3,835
Immigration—																
Total.....	855	783	857	916	1,207	976	2,216	1,624	1,493	1,493	1,493	1,493	1,493	1,493	1,493	1,493
Returned Canadians from U.S.....	178	236	257	208	201	206	197	206	157	157	157	157	157	157	157	157

* Statistics are given for four or five-week periods. See Labour Gazette for further information.

* Cities of 10,000 or over.

29. EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS

Geographical and Industrial Unit	Aggregate Weekly Earnings in \$000 Paid on or About First of Month												
	1944										1945		
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
(a) PROVINCES													
Maritime Provinces	4,214	4,269	4,071	4,300	4,252	4,236	4,492	4,427	4,494	3,863	4,321	4,395	4,348
Prince Edward Island	72	65	69	74	74	74	72	73	74	64	65	73	66
Nova Scotia	2,612	2,770	2,607	2,727	2,612	2,632	2,755	2,783	2,826	2,211	2,688	2,714	2,635
New Brunswick	1,530	1,434	1,395	1,498	1,565	1,529	1,636	1,571	1,593	1,587	1,568	1,608	1,647
Quebec	17,684	17,241	17,307	17,282	17,414	17,832	17,854	18,056	17,970	16,475	17,171	17,577	16,886
Ontario	24,779	24,241	24,327	24,673	24,774	25,058	25,280	25,317	25,444	23,085	25,064	25,416	24,570
Prairie Provinces	6,115	6,126	6,252	6,400	6,540	6,493	6,586	6,585	6,735	6,468	6,394	6,393	6,250
Manitoba	2,853	2,853	2,903	2,929	2,955	2,915	2,962	2,908	3,001	2,961	2,934	2,937	2,863
Saskatchewan	1,107	1,117	1,192	1,230	1,261	1,241	1,240	1,234	1,264	1,231	1,190	1,182	1,166
Alberta	2,145	2,148	2,188	2,250	2,323	2,337	2,384	2,344	2,379	2,275	2,255	2,274	2,221
British Columbia	5,976	6,065	5,953	6,120	6,990	6,052	6,037	6,115	5,929	5,317	5,606	5,747	5,640
Canada	58,767	57,948	57,956	58,784	58,979	59,671	60,259	60,391	60,771	53,585	58,546	59,575	57,694
(b) CITIES													
Montreal	9,402	9,206	9,110	9,002	8,890	9,201	9,322	9,280	9,212	8,112	8,809	8,941	8,712
Quebec City	1,141	1,141	1,187	1,148	1,167	1,202	1,197	1,190	1,035	932	953	970	922
Toronto	8,431	8,473	8,290	8,371	8,224	8,276	8,273	8,280	8,352	7,427	8,005	8,148	7,945
Ottawa	587	597	607	619	630	622	625	641	647	628	632	627	610
Hamilton	1,998	1,978	1,910	1,956	1,965	1,938	1,950	1,994	2,055	1,774	2,013	2,030	1,998
Windsor	1,790	1,435	1,697	1,714	1,724	1,709	1,705	1,702	1,731	1,418	1,708	1,685	1,602
Winnipeg	1,773	1,768	1,761	1,789	1,744	1,720	1,747	1,789	1,802	1,760	1,792	1,781	1,731
Vancouver	2,955	2,982	2,933	3,000	2,896	2,876	2,817	2,730	2,792	2,505	2,737	2,790	2,719

Average Per Capita Weekly Earnings Paid on or About First of Month

	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
(a) PROVINCES													
Maritime Provinces	31.40	31.38	30.11	30.12	30.08	30.11	31.10	31.01	30.69	27.73	31.40	31.95	31.48
P.E.I.	26.13	26.36	26.19	26.40	26.09	26.78	27.05	26.82	27.02	25.29	25.58	25.19	26.41
Nova Scotia	33.15	33.40	31.89	32.01	31.39	31.82	32.52	32.70	32.27	28.28	33.50	33.93	32.81
New Brunswick	29.05	29.53	27.43	27.37	28.31	27.72	29.14	28.60	28.40	27.10	28.59	29.40	29.77
Quebec	30.81	30.61	30.11	29.91	29.77	30.08	31.05	30.62	30.63	29.04	30.57	31.35	30.62
Ontario	32.31	32.95	32.79	32.89	32.70	32.65	32.92	33.06	33.09	30.39	32.97	33.49	32.49
Prairie Provinces	31.59	31.34	31.45	31.55	31.49	31.48	32.37	32.20	32.25	31.46	31.88	32.64	32.04
Manitoba	31.30	31.51	31.20	30.94	30.89	30.94	31.70	31.61	31.90	31.02	31.31	32.37	31.65
Saskatchewan	30.62	30.47	30.62	30.45	30.17	30.06	31.15	30.59	30.59	30.65	30.89	31.56	30.38
Alberta	32.55	33.07	32.87	33.06	33.08	32.99	33.95	34.03	33.65	32.60	33.22	34.20	33.35
British Columbia	35.00	35.50	34.83	34.97	34.57	34.46	34.80	34.66	34.72	32.66	34.81	35.66	34.81
(b) CITIES													
Montreal	32.14	31.64	31.30	31.06	30.95	32.00	32.49	32.50	32.50	29.61	32.12	32.69	31.73
Quebec City	29.28	29.32	30.60	29.33	29.91	30.60	30.87	31.28	28.93	27.17	28.29	28.89	27.32
Toronto	33.03	33.21	32.50	32.42	32.25	32.32	32.65	32.51	32.57	29.72	32.26	33.10	31.90
Ottawa	27.52	27.78	27.92	27.94	28.04	27.55	27.83	28.33	28.26	27.11	28.43	28.70	28.00
Hamilton	33.94	33.74	32.58	32.60	32.99	32.77	32.95	33.31	33.42	30.06	33.56	33.77	33.15
Windsor	44.48	36.54	43.14	43.55	43.63	43.44	43.99	43.37	43.49	36.29	44.22	43.74	41.93
Winnipeg	29.18	29.40	28.97	28.70	28.45	28.52	28.69	28.72	29.20	27.86	28.80	30.00	29.29
Vancouver	33.04	34.29	33.63	33.80	34.06	33.81	33.83	33.23	33.35	31.20	34.01	34.65	33.64

EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLLS JUNE 1, 1941=100

All Industries—													
Employment.....	118.1	116.5	118.1	120.0	120.7	121.5	119.7	120.0	121.2	117.0	117.0	116.7	115.8
Aggregate payrolls.....	148.0	146.2	146.0	148.1	148.4	149.0	149.9	149.0	151.0	137.6	145.6	148.8	144.1
Per capita earnings.....	32.37	32.26	31.81	31.72	31.63	31.69	32.36	32.29	32.19	30.10	32.15	32.82	32.00
Manufacturing—													
Employment.....	134.2	132.9	132.8	134.4	133.9	134.6	133.2	131.7	131.0	126.6	128.0	127.6	126.7
Aggregate payrolls.....	171.7	168.1	166.7	167.7	166.8	168.6	169.2	168.1	168.0	147.1	162.6	164.7	158.7
Per capita earnings.....	33.28	32.92	32.64	32.44	32.38	32.55	33.02	33.20	33.35	30.22	33.05	33.57	32.55

30. INDEX NUMBERS OF EMPLOYMENT IN CITIES 1926=100

Without seasonal adjustment

Cities—													
Montreal	180.0	186.9	188.9	188.1	186.3	186.2	185.6	184.1	182.8	177.1	177.2	176.7	177.1
Quebec	270.7	269.1	265.1	270.6	269.6	271.4	268.7	263.7	247.6	237.5	231.0	229.6	230.8
Toronto	157.8	167.7	197.5	199.6	197.3	198.0	195.8	196.8	196.0	192.9	191.4	190.5	188.4
Ottawa	161.5	163.0	165.2	168.1	170.5	170.9	170.1	170.8	172.5	174.7	167.7	164.8	163.7
Hamilton	179.7	178.9	178.4	183.8	181.6	180.3	180.3	182.4	185.5	179.8	182.4	182.8	183.3
Windsor	295.4	288.4	286.9	288.5	289.7	288.4	284.1	286.8	289.5	284.2	280.8	280.2	277.2
Winnipeg	144.4	142.4	144.3	144.8	145.5	143.0	144.6	144.6	151.3	149.8	147.3	140.5	139.9
Vancouver	247.2	242.9	243.5	247.0	237.6	237.4	232.0	229.0	232.6	222.9	222.0	223.0	223.9

31. EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS

Geographical and Industrial Unit	Number of Employees Reported at First of Month															
	1944								1945							
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
(a) PROVINCES																
Maritime Provinces.....	134,194	133,917	135,214	142,776	141,349	140,677	144,417	142,766	145,499	139,320	137,615	137,575	138,124	138,124	138,124	138,124
P.E.I.....	2,764	2,421	2,627	2,819	2,844	2,771	2,757	2,727	2,751	2,539	2,550	2,911	2,494	2,494	2,494	2,494
Nova Scotia.....	78,769	82,923	81,756	85,215	83,216	82,740	85,512	85,106	87,590	78,211	80,240	79,972	80,306	80,306	80,306	80,306
New Brunswick.....	52,661	48,573	50,831	54,742	55,289	55,166	56,118	56,128	58,570	54,823	54,823	54,823	55,324	55,324	55,324	55,324
Quebec.....	573,953	583,214	574,768	577,823	585,003	592,748	574,592	583,935	586,502	587,253	581,699	580,339	551,531	551,531	551,531	551,531
Ontario.....	743,790	735,874	741,815	754,939	757,596	767,452	765,633	765,820	775,064	759,642	760,196	760,253	756,251	756,251	756,251	756,251
Prairie Provinces.....	193,598	192,467	198,514	203,073	207,691	206,275	203,483	204,478	208,950	205,433	200,271	194,603	195,069	195,069	195,069	195,069
Manitoba.....	91,474	90,855	93,032	94,522	95,056	94,313	93,452	95,476	96,919	95,464	93,863	90,731	90,474	90,474	90,474	90,474
Saskatchewan.....	95,134	90,864	93,931	100,400	101,707	101,279	99,808	100,320	101,326	100,181	98,533	97,454	98,006	98,006	98,006	98,006
Alberta.....	65,978	64,948	66,551	68,011	70,238	70,781	70,223	68,682	70,705	69,783	67,875	66,508	66,589	66,589	66,589	66,589
British Columbia.....	172,065	170,868	171,189	175,007	173,286	175,640	173,484	170,674	170,767	162,802	161,063	161,131	162,033	162,033	162,033	162,033
(b) CITIES																
Montreal.....	292,497	290,953	291,045	289,973	287,225	287,534	286,573	284,657	282,689	274,007	274,222	273,478	274,563	274,563	274,563	274,563
Quebec City.....	38,971	38,915	38,771	39,150	39,020	39,280	38,767	38,048	38,780	34,321	33,694	33,587	33,757	33,757	33,757	33,757
Toronto.....	255,258	255,122	255,107	258,079	255,054	256,047	253,392	254,669	256,443	249,883	248,135	247,150	249,605	249,605	249,605	249,605
Ottawa.....	21,298	21,497	21,740	22,171	22,485	22,538	22,440	22,624	22,897	23,164	22,229	21,849	21,720	21,720	21,720	21,720
Hamilton.....	58,854	58,614	58,439	59,357	59,143	59,181	59,867	60,090	59,033	59,072	60,558	60,558	60,558	60,558	60,558	60,558
Windsor.....	40,231	39,270	39,358	39,256	39,522	39,344	35,761	39,126	39,010	39,053	38,616	38,538	38,200	38,200	38,200	38,200
Winnipeg.....	62,774	59,962	60,810	60,608	61,289	60,394	60,919	62,590	62,758	63,168	62,222	60,357	60,106	60,106	60,106	60,106
Vancouver.....	68,541	66,973	67,261	68,522	68,064	68,007	63,259	62,246	63,815	60,302	60,469	60,504	60,844	60,844	60,844	60,844
(c) INDUSTRIES																
Manufacturing.....	1178693	1168047	1167007	1182664	1178509	1185226	1172480	1180925	1183860	1115037	1127833	1124103	1110933	1110933	1110933	1110933
Durable Goods.....	660,681	650,109	646,002	651,486	644,805	641,249	625,226	614,937	607,585	586,613	599,577	588,561	585,264	585,264	585,264	585,264
Non-Durable.....	508,884	500,674	503,183	512,231	515,425	524,906	528,501	536,617	537,929	510,216	519,702	517,564	513,754	513,754	513,754	513,754
Light and Power.....	17,188	17,264	17,822	18,547	18,999	19,171	18,759	18,471	18,355	18,208	18,004	17,978	17,915	17,915	17,915	17,915
Logging.....	71,922	68,614	62,000	62,437	66,339	66,862	64,138	71,801	80,065	93,718	83,797	85,062	80,380	80,380	80,380	80,380
Mining.....	74,215	72,815	71,794	71,892	72,808	71,564	70,804	70,145	71,255	68,889	71,261	70,879	70,339	70,339	70,339	70,339
Communications.....	28,178	28,354	28,800	29,486	30,252	30,306	29,908	29,666	29,640	29,682	29,545	29,808	30,043	30,043	30,043	30,043
Transportation.....	147,919	152,815	154,737	157,294	158,316	159,613	161,041	159,734	159,150	157,616	152,327	152,018	155,910	155,910	155,910	155,910
Construction and Maintenance.....	103,211	110,006	127,756	139,820	157,089	166,784	145,735	143,829	139,729	125,264	114,784	113,874	111,262	111,262	111,262	111,262
Services.....	44,778	45,298	45,934	47,346	47,547	47,965	47,517	47,422	47,850	46,702	47,597	48,532	49,603	49,603	49,603	49,603
Trade.....	168,514	170,703	171,962	172,979	173,878	175,390	174,778	165,151	166,586	167,662	164,246	161,131	168,540	168,540	168,540	168,540
Eight Leading Industries																
.....	1817600	1793540	1821480	1838018	1854925	1883780	1861599	1867673	1867732	1834450	1826042	1813991	1803015	1803015	1803015	1803015
Finance.....	64,772	64,749	64,748	64,962	65,170	65,165	66,512	66,545	66,485	66,430	66,570	66,555	66,875	66,875	66,875	66,875
Nine Leading Industries																
.....	1832322	1816939	1836238	1851558	1869005	1897933	1875111	1884218	1884237	1860580	1847814	1836046	1826939	1826939	1826939	1826939

31A. Number of persons signing the Live Unemployment Register during the Six working days of specified months

Province	1944												1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April			
	A—Total															
P.E.I.....	39	30	30	18	25	80	42	135	157	130	145	120	65			
Nova Scotia.....	706	136	141	178	275	378	324	409	938	832	908	691	1,118			
New Brunswick.....	126	47	60	257	92	104	162	251	410	539	485	375	383			
Quebec.....	3,032	1,581	1,326	1,338	1,678	2,084	5,887	9,847	13,313	14,848	13,524	8,838	6,987			
Ontario.....	936	535	551	584	523	619	1,203	1,803	2,869	2,968	2,726	1,882	2,133			
Manitoba.....	395	265	338	471	564	734	1,026	1,357	2,461	2,976	2,630	2,219	2,192			
Saskatchewan.....	234	210	197	172	148	198	389	599	904	1,061	914	597	424			
Alberta.....	1,294	1,490	1,384	1,776	1,665	1,692	1,888	1,940	2,610	2,533	2,826	2,314	1,890			
British Columbia.....	567	410	461	604	778	1,370	2,510	2,972	3,643	3,512	2,952	2,161	1,444			
Total.....	7,329	4,707	4,488	5,408	5,746	8,009	13,431	19,313	27,305	29,692	27,110	19,197	16,645			
B—Male																
P.E.I.....	19	14	14	10	14	13	20	115	132	108	108	70	30			
Nova Scotia.....	623	68	69	96	167	228	153	246	656	508	577	384	665			
New Brunswick.....	94	33	34	234	47	58	102	182	250	320	333	254	287			
Quebec.....	2,413	1,173	1,046	1,051	1,249	2,012	4,806	7,955	10,782	11,872	10,614	6,243	4,149			
Ontario.....	523	312	362	227	311	365	1,038	1,581	2,078	2,874	1,999	1,105	1,072			
Manitoba.....	196	183	188	207	236	326	606	847	1,548	1,821	1,824	1,328	1,092			
Saskatchewan.....	75	72	80	76	90	114	249	439	600	738	655	423	295			
Alberta.....	1,189	1,412	1,292	1,611	1,453	1,405	1,544	1,617	2,000	2,231	2,330	1,975	1,615			
British Columbia.....	358	265	323	406	471	786	1,241	1,762	2,000	1,834	1,487	1,104	836			
Total.....	5,490	3,802	3,306	3,918	3,938	5,207	9,324	14,344	20,046	21,706	19,727	12,886	10,044			
C—Female																
P.E.I.....	20	16	16	8	11	17	22	20	25	22	37	50	32			
Nova Scotia.....	83	68	72	92	108	150	171	163	282	324	331	307	453			
New Brunswick.....	32	14	26	23	45	46	60	69	180	119	152	121	96			
Quebec.....	619	408	280	287	429	672	1,061	1,892	2,851	2,976	2,910	2,595	2,838			
Ontario.....	413	226	289	357	312	354	600	622	791	692	727	777	1,061			
Manitoba.....	199	112	150	204	328	408	420	510	913	1,150	1,006	891	1,001			
Saskatchewan.....	109	138	137	98	55	84	160	160	304	325	259	174	129			
Alberta.....	105	152	152	165	219	287	344	323	610	601	611	394	368			
British Columbia.....	209	145	138	198	305	784	1,249	1,210	1,648	1,627	1,465	1,057	608			
Total.....	1,839	1,205	1,190	1,490	1,808	2,802	4,107	4,969	7,259	7,986	7,383	6,311	6,600			

32. PER CAPITA WEEKLY EARNINGS AT FIRST OF MONTH IN DOLLARS AND CENTS

	1944										1945			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
MANUFACTURING	33-22	33-02	32-64	32-44	32-38	32-55	33-03	33-18	33-35		30-22	33-05	33-57	32-55
Animal products—edible.....	30-43	30-66	29-81	29-66	29-45	29-04	30-02	30-21	30-82		28-19	30-33	31-18	31-17
Fur and products.....	28-90	29-05	30-01	29-60	28-98	29-50	29-06	30-54	31-33		29-96	30-27	29-82	29-74
Leather and products.....	33-84	33-64	33-14	33-55	33-54	33-05	33-86	34-06	34-34		22-01	24-03	24-42	23-75
Boots and shoes.....	32-07	32-75	32-23	32-64	32-48	32-63	32-95	33-08	33-37		20-98	23-30	23-78	23-06
Lumber and its products.....	27-62	27-78	27-17	27-65	27-59	27-70	28-15	28-48	28-52		25-49	28-27	28-52	27-11
Rough and dressed lumber...	28-48	28-63	28-03	28-47	28-30	28-25	28-87	29-36	29-28		29-49	29-10	29-60	27-93
Furniture.....	26-39	26-56	26-00	26-82	26-17	26-30	26-87	26-88	27-35		24-64	26-98	27-06	25-88
Plant products—edible.....	26-43	26-50	26-14	25-93	25-59	24-54	24-20	25-27	25-81		25-25	26-02	26-81	26-38
Pulp and paper products.....	33-25	33-33	33-16	33-19	33-38	33-32	33-66	33-76	33-70		31-11	33-27	33-77	33-61
Pulp and paper.....	33-70	33-94	33-83	33-59	37-27	37-09	37-13	37-16	37-06		33-86	36-28	37-03	36-88
Paper products.....	26-34	26-35	25-90	26-03	26-06	26-04	26-71	27-02	27-01		24-12	26-57	27-21	26-48
Printing and publishing.....	33-60	33-63	33-67	33-67	33-41	33-49	33-08	33-26	33-29		31-52	33-23	33-37	33-58
Rubber products.....	33-12	32-99	32-30	31-80	32-10	32-30	32-68	32-73	32-49		30-25	33-34	33-51	32-94
Textile products.....	33-57	33-58	32-79	32-69	32-98	32-28	32-44	32-82	33-06		31-90	32-89	34-15	33-12
Hosiery and knit goods.....	31-31	31-43	30-94	30-75	30-30	30-61	31-11	31-01	31-66		19-84	21-36	21-47	20-39
Garments and personal furnishings.....	23-54	23-38	22-73	22-73	22-77	23-06	23-58	23-65	23-56		21-38	23-74	24-31	23-21
Tobacco.....	23-16	23-30	23-32	23-78	23-11	24-24	24-90	24-65	25-04		20-15	24-49	24-80	21-97
Beverages.....	34-97	34-50	34-81	34-89	34-84	34-99	34-82	33-55	34-67		33-48	34-43	34-84	34-22
Chemicals.....	32-22	32-37	31-88	31-40	31-90	31-69	33-04	32-51	32-85		31-30	32-81	33-38	32-17
Electrical apparatus.....	32-90	33-21	32-18	32-82	31-63	32-84	32-94	33-48	34-04		30-61	33-70	34-87	32-97
Iron and steel products.....	35-39	37-84	37-70	37-26	37-22	37-81	38-84	38-70	38-85		34-21	38-44	39-05	37-81
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	36-81	36-96	36-84	36-80	36-81	36-93	37-36	37-41	37-43		33-48	37-04	37-24	35-74
Machinery (other than vehicle).....	36-05	36-31	34-63	35-27	35-69	35-67	36-31	36-98	36-75		32-06	36-37	36-70	35-14
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	39-54	37-34	35-76	35-27	37-49	38-40	39-76	39-20	39-69		35-47	39-94	40-63	39-66
Automobiles and parts.....	43-97	36-98	43-05	43-42	43-10	43-13	43-87	43-77	44-13		36-06	44-47	44-03	42-06
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	35-98	40-10	39-32	39-57	40-11	41-08	42-05	42-23	41-49		35-85	39-80	39-97	39-65
Non-ferrous metal products.....	35-13	35-12	34-53	34-73	34-57	34-71	35-14	35-18	35-25		33-26	34-77	35-83	34-73
Non-metallic mineral products.....	33-00	33-45	33-09	37-47	37-82	38-04	38-44	39-16	39-20		37-68	39-02	39-28	39-03
Electric light and power.....	37-50	37-53	37-24	37-15	37-04	36-88	37-08	37-35	37-05		36-80	37-48	37-78	37-00
Durable goods.....	36-45	35-87	35-76	35-50	35-23	35-82	36-60	36-67	36-83		32-77	36-43	37-04	35-77
Non-durable goods.....	28-81	28-92	28-48	28-39	28-63	28-40	28-56	28-96	29-23		27-05	29-06	29-47	28-73
Logging.....	27-66	28-96	26-31	26-75	26-78	27-29	26-54	25-76	25-01		27-02	25-13	27-61	28-18
Mining.....	37-58	39-19	37-45	37-67	38-04	38-27	39-12	39-49	39-70		34-86	39-23	40-01	38-44
COMMUNICATIONS	30-83	30-97	31-27	30-41	30-73	30-76	31-10	31-15	31-04		31-20	31-43	31-26	31-51
Telegraphs.....	27-96	28-90	29-02	28-78	29-19	29-22	31-07	31-16	30-37		30-46	30-94	30-83	30-76
Telephones.....	31-45	31-69	32-05	30-98	31-25	31-29	31-11	31-18	31-26		31-44	31-60	31-40	31-76
TRANSPORTATION	37-26	37-38	36-92	36-54	36-69	36-71	38-73	38-31	38-64		38-77	38-99	40-20	39-17
Street railways and cartage.....	33-26	34-10	33-30	33-59	33-49	33-49	33-87	33-57	33-70		32-94	33-73	34-76	33-84
Steam railways.....	40-72	40-65	40-34	39-91	40-03	40-07	43-05	42-53	42-87		44-04	42-98	44-66	43-34
Shipping and stevedoring.....	31-63	32-21	31-92	30-88	31-27	30-87	32-83	32-39	32-88		30-26	32-23	32-61	33-79
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE	30-42	29-73	29-08	29-77	28-86	28-42	30-82	30-60	29-76		28-84	29-98	29-69	30-06
Building.....	34-46	34-62	33-76	33-66	33-78	33-90	34-21	34-19	36-04		30-60	33-88	34-95	33-66
Highway.....	29-25	27-22	26-42	28-21	27-17	25-52	29-48	29-19	26-72		27-08	28-52	29-34	28-10
Railway.....	37-30	37-37	28-09	28-27	27-00	28-21	29-19	28-63	29-47		29-16	27-83	28-29	28-48
SERVICES	19-47	19-68	19-40	19-28	19-08	19-28	19-45	19-69	19-82		19-37	19-70	20-16	19-74
Hotels and restaurants.....	18-78	19-03	18-66	18-74	18-30	18-52	18-65	18-91	19-05		19-20	19-07	19-62	18-81
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	20-85	20-78	20-66	20-22	20-50	20-67	20-83	21-07	21-15		19-68	20-85	21-20	21-51
TRADE	26-37	26-40	26-36	26-58	26-84	26-44	26-30	26-01	25-53		25-44	26-50	26-83	26-48
Retail.....	24-24	24-16	24-16	24-28	24-35	24-29	24-06	24-73	23-20		25-13	24-28	24-56	24-26
Wholesale.....	32-82	33-10	32-91	32-98	32-79	32-45	32-71	32-73	32-56		32-81	32-91	33-08	32-80
Eight Leading Industries.....	32-33	32-26	31-81	31-71	31-62	31-69	32-36	32-29	32-10		30-10	32-15	32-82	32-00
FINANCE	32-44	32-00	32-68	32-73	32-65	32-52	32-41	32-44	32-42		32-50	32-83	32-86	33-58
Banks and trust companies.....	28-41	28-40	28-40	28-36	28-43	28-33	29-04	29-07	29-07		29-15	29-59	29-62	29-62
Brokerage and stock market.....	35-28	35-08	37-39	38-25	36-26	35-40	35-67	35-62	35-60		35-26	39-38	38-66	38-27
Insurance.....	38-35	38-68	38-72	38-62	38-62	38-49	37-14	37-19	37-14		37-25	37-15	37-22	39-07
Total	32-34	32-28	31-84	31-75	31-65	31-72	32-37	32-29	32-26		30-18	32-18	32-82	32-66

33. AGGREGATE WEEKLY PAYROLL AT FIRST OF MONTH
IN THOUSANDS DOLLARS

	1944										1945			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
MANUFACTURING.....	39,155	39,447	38,125	38,355	38,163	38,581	38,739	38,486	38,487	33,695	37,258	37,734	36,355	
Animal products, edible.....	1,277	1,327	1,351	1,402	1,413	1,373	1,389	1,426	1,489	1,308	1,372	1,327	1,297	
Fur and products.....	88	87	89	88	84	87	87	93	99	93	94	93	95	
Leather and products.....	690	693	658	671	665	667	671	677	690	610	698	712	694	
Boots and shoes.....	402	399	386	393	390	389	393	392	400	362	411	421	410	
Lumber and its products.....	1,716	1,735	1,775	1,913	1,959	1,987	1,926	1,905	1,885	1,592	1,799	1,829	1,769	
Rough and dressed lumber...	913	923	984	1,084	1,106	1,124	1,071	1,046	992	858	965	990	966	
Furniture.....	298	301	301	331	312	313	369	318	339	291	323	326	309	
Plant products—edible.....	1,283	1,302	1,301	1,377	1,422	1,580	1,696	1,584	1,563	1,368	1,411	1,410	1,389	
Pulp and paper products.....	2,702	2,776	2,793	2,849	2,901	2,913	2,901	2,916	2,918	2,844	2,854	2,913	2,887	
Pulp and paper.....	1,309	1,331	1,368	1,389	1,446	1,452	1,416	1,402	1,382	1,236	1,344	1,376	1,360	
Paper products.....	438	433	422	431	428	433	437	449	453	393	437	451	444	
Printing and publishing.....	1,015	1,012	1,003	1,029	1,026	1,029	1,049	1,066	1,063	1,015	1,073	1,086	1,084	
Rubber products.....	666	681	671	689	689	694	706	718	735	665	763	772	752	
Textile products.....	3,295	3,268	3,120	3,087	3,062	3,106	3,187	3,265	3,317	2,858	3,319	3,385	3,239	
Hosiery and knit goods.....	468	487	471	486	440	447	459	465	484	433	482	485	455	
Garments and personal furnishings.....	1,179	1,163	1,122	1,112	1,063	1,090	1,091	1,163	1,167	997	1,164	1,214	1,174	
Tobacco.....	257	250	241	232	235	242	250	267	273	236	308	315	266	
Beverages.....	436	444	456	469	491	501	498	498	498	477	476	480	476	
Chemicals.....	2,390	2,380	2,365	2,385	2,477	2,484	2,500	2,557	2,582	2,407	2,550	2,573	2,450	
Electrical apparatus.....	1,857	1,612	1,554	1,576	1,555	1,571	1,563	1,590	1,599	1,389	1,519	1,505	1,418	
Iron and steel products.....	17,910	17,126	17,024	16,912	16,609	16,831	16,910	16,556	16,419	13,993	15,779	16,010	15,314	
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	1,248	1,262	1,255	1,275	1,262	1,247	1,238	1,266	1,283	1,136	1,270	1,277	1,206	
Machinery (other than vehicles).....	881	868	823	842	854	854	855	870	883	762	870	875	830	
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	7,802	7,207	7,306	7,279	7,192	7,354	7,496	7,219	7,202	6,268	6,956	6,950	6,593	
Automobiles and parts.....	1,898	1,553	1,783	1,807	1,900	1,891	1,910	1,908	1,932	1,590	1,828	1,869	1,793	
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	3,079	2,898	2,794	2,843	2,965	2,718	2,704	2,966	2,556	2,072	2,338	2,376	2,516	
Non-ferrous metal products.....	2,396	2,344	2,278	2,232	2,132	2,098	2,049	2,008	1,998	1,799	1,991	1,959	1,940	
Non-metallic mineral products.....	510	611	619	635	643	632	619	617	619	596	631	636	636	
Electric light and power.....	644	648	664	689	704	702	696	690	680	570	675	679	683	
Durable goods.....	24,062	23,319	23,130	23,133	23,755	23,969	23,939	23,550	22,375	19,224	21,480	21,803	20,934	
Non-durable goods.....	14,490	14,481	14,332	14,533	14,703	14,905	15,098	15,246	15,431	13,909	15,104	15,282	14,758	
Leaving.....	1,093	1,408	1,384	1,408	1,246	1,266	1,437	1,850	2,254	2,532	2,357	2,570	2,265	
MINING.....	2,786	2,842	2,688	2,708	2,770	2,728	2,769	2,770	2,836	2,401	2,802	2,856	2,704	
COMMUNICATIONS.....	860	878	901	897	930	932	930	924	920	926	929	932	947	
Telegraphs.....	207	213	214	217	223	223	231	231	226	225	226	223	225	
Telephones.....	653	665	686	680	707	709	699	693	694	701	702	706	720	
TRANSPORTATION.....	5,811	5,713	5,713	5,748	5,808	5,880	6,236	6,119	6,174	6,110	5,939	6,111	6,107	
Street railways and cartage.....	1,467	1,322	1,316	1,341	1,358	1,368	1,384	1,379	1,382	1,384	1,374	1,310	1,395	
Steam railways.....	3,406	3,403	3,406	3,391	3,434	3,527	3,792	3,734	3,780	3,872	3,763	3,914	3,794	
Shipping and stavedoring.....	657	788	791	815	816	764	860	808	812	654	602	587	717	
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	2,139	3,271	3,715	4,163	4,533	4,740	4,491	4,401	4,159	3,613	3,441	3,495	3,345	
Building.....	1,250	1,269	1,271	1,334	1,392	1,477	1,500	1,546	1,474	1,173	1,242	1,253	1,228	
Highway.....	921	1,074	1,380	1,587	1,993	2,014	1,740	1,660	1,492	1,240	1,015	977	963	
Railway.....	969	928	1,064	1,141	1,148	1,249	1,251	1,195	1,192	1,199	1,185	1,268	1,134	
SERVICES.....	572	591	590	613	607	619	624	634	642	605	635	685	679	
Hotels and restaurants.....	530	541	540	563	559	571	569	573	582	579	588	628	612	
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	342	350	351	350	348	348	355	361	360	326	349	356	367	
TRADE.....	4,447	4,507	4,533	4,596	4,614	4,635	4,734	4,817	5,001	5,026	4,882	4,867	4,993	
Retail.....	3,071	3,068	3,110	3,138	3,137	3,124	3,206	3,276	3,443	3,479	3,324	3,270	3,385	
Wholesale.....	1,376	1,419	1,423	1,460	1,477	1,501	1,528	1,538	1,558	1,547	1,559	1,597	1,608	
Eight Leading Industries.....	58,767	57,968	57,960	58,784	58,970	59,671	60,250	60,300	60,771	55,308	58,546	59,528	57,694	
FINANCE.....	2,100	2,111	2,116	2,127	2,128	2,119	2,156	2,189	2,155	2,159	2,186	2,190	2,239	
Banks and trust companies.....	1,071	1,070	1,070	1,069	1,074	1,069	1,118	1,121	1,119	1,121	1,141	1,143	1,145	
Brokerage and stock market.....	59	59	63	66	66	64	63	66	66	65	74	74	76	
Insurance.....	970	983	983	991	988	985	972	972	971	972	970	974	1,020	
Total.....	69,867	69,869	69,866	69,919	61,997	61,799	62,496	62,469	62,926	57,367	60,731	61,719	59,333	

VIII. Prices

34. INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF LIVING 1935-39=100

Classification	1944										1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Cost of Living—														
Total.....	119-1	119-2	119-0	119-0	119-9	119-8	119-6	119-9	119-5	119-6	119-6	119-7	119-0	119-0
Food.....	131-6	131-7	131-1	132-0	131-5	131-2	130-8	131-6	130-3	130-2	130-6	131-0	131-7	131-7
Fuel.....	113-0	112-5	112-5	108-9	108-7	108-7	108-7	108-1	108-1	109-1	107-4	106-7	106-6	106-6
Rent.....	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	112-0	112-0	112-0	112-0	112-0	112-0	112-0	112-1
Clothing.....	121-4	121-5	121-5	121-5	121-5	121-5	121-6	121-6	121-6	121-8	121-7	121-8	122-0	122-0
Sundries.....	109-0	109-0	109-0	109-0	109-0	109-0	108-9	108-9	108-9	109-2	109-2	109-2	109-4	109-4

35. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926=100.

Group	1944										1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.			Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Totals.....	102-8	102-5	102-5	102-3	102-3	102-4	102-4	102-5	102-6	102-6	102-9	103-0	103-0	103-4	103-0
Component Material—															
Vegetable products.....	94-9	95-0	95-1	94-6	94-4	94-7	94-6	95-0	95-7	95-8	96-0	96-0	97-0	97-0	97-0
Animal products.....	108-2	108-1	108-9	108-0	108-0	108-3	108-7	108-0	106-7	106-9	107-0	106-9	107-2	107-2	107-2
Textiles.....	91-7	91-9	91-7	91-7	91-7	91-7	91-7	91-7	91-7	91-7	91-7	91-7	91-7	91-7	91-7
Wood and paper.....	118-0	118-0	118-0	118-0	118-1	118-1	118-1	118-1	118-3	118-3	118-3	118-3	117-6	117-6	117-6
Iron and its products.....	117-1	117-1	117-0	117-0	117-0	117-0	117-0	117-0	117-1	117-2	117-2	117-2	115-3	115-3	115-3
Non-ferrous metals.....	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7
Non-metallic minerals.....	102-4	102-5	102-3	102-3	102-3	101-8	101-8	102-7	102-7	102-7	103-1	103-1	102-6	102-6	102-6
Chemicals.....	99-9	100-1	100-0	100-3	100-1	100-1	99-9	100-1	100-1	100-1	100-1	100-1	100-0	98-6	98-6
Purpose—Consumers' goods.....	97-4	97-4	97-4	97-2	97-2	97-1	97-1	97-0	97-4	97-4	97-5	97-5	97-6	97-0	97-0
Foods, beverages and tobacco.....	101-8	101-2	101-2	100-8	100-7	100-8	100-8	100-7	101-5	101-7	101-9	102-0	103-0	103-0	103-0
Producers' goods.....	100-0	100-2	99-9	99-7	99-6	99-7	99-7	100-1	100-4	100-4	100-7	101-0	100-5	100-5	100-5
Producers' equipment.....	118-7	118-7	118-5	118-5	118-5	118-4	118-3	120-0	120-0	120-0	121-1	121-1	121-1	121-1	121-1
Producers' materials.....	97-9	98-1	97-8	97-6	97-5	97-6	97-6	97-9	98-2	98-2	98-4	98-8	98-2	98-2	98-2
Building and construction materials.....	127-2	127-4	127-2	127-2	127-4	127-4	127-4	127-6	127-9	127-9	127-9	128-0	122-3	122-3	122-3
Manufacturers' materials.....	92-9	93-1	92-8	92-6	92-4	92-5	92-6	92-9	93-2	93-2	93-4	93-9	94-1	94-1	94-1
Origin—Raw and partly manufactured.....	104-2	104-2	103-9	103-6	103-4	103-3	103-3	103-6	104-3	104-5	104-7	104-7	105-0	105-0	105-0
Fully and chiefly manufactured.....	93-5	93-5	93-4	93-5	93-6	93-6	93-7	93-7	93-8	93-8	93-7	94-2	93-8	93-8	93-8
FIELD ORIGIN—															
Raw.....	92-6	92-6	92-3	91-6	91-3	91-6	91-4	92-0	92-9	93-1	93-3	93-3	94-9	94-9	94-9
Manufactured.....	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0	89-0
Totals.....	90-7	90-7	90-5	90-2	90-1	90-2	90-1	90-4	90-8	90-9	91-0	91-0	91-0	91-0	91-7
ANIMAL ORIGIN—															
Raw.....	110-2	109-5	109-8	109-7	109-4	108-6	108-9	108-6	109-6	109-6	109-7	109-8	110-4	110-4	110-4
Manufactured.....	93-5	92-9	92-8	93-0	93-4	93-8	94-2	94-2	94-3	94-3	94-2	94-2	93-8	93-8	93-8
Totals.....	100-2	100-1	100-2	100-2	100-3	100-2	100-6	100-4	100-9	100-9	100-9	101-0	101-1	101-1	101-1
CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS—															
Field.....	91-3	91-1	91-8	91-2	91-0	91-6	91-5	92-2	93-5	93-8	94-0	94-0	94-8	94-8	94-8
Animal.....	119-6	120-2	119-0	117-9	117-8	122-0	122-5	122-7	123-6	123-6	124-2	124-2	121-1	121-1	121-1
Totals.....	101-9	102-0	102-0	101-2	101-0	103-0	103-1	103-3	104-4	104-6	105-1	105-3	104-6	104-6	104-6
MARINE ORIGIN—															
Raw.....	117-3	117-3	117-6	117-6	117-6	117-6	117-6	117-6	117-6	123-0	123-0	123-0	123-7	123-7	123-7
Manufactured.....	133-9	133-8	134-4	134-4	134-4	135-3	135-3	135-3	135-3	135-3	135-3	135-3	133-9	133-9	133-9
Totals.....	129-6	129-3	129-8	129-8	129-8	130-5	130-5	130-5	130-5	132-0	132-0	132-0	131-1	131-1	131-1
FOREST ORIGIN—															
Raw.....	150-7	150-7	150-7	150-7	150-9	150-9	150-9	151-3	151-3	151-3	151-3	151-6	145-5	145-5	145-5
Manufactured.....	87-9	87-9	88-0	88-0	88-0	88-0	88-0	88-0	88-0	88-0	88-0	91-8	91-8	91-8	91-8
Totals.....	117-2	117-2	117-2	117-3	117-3	117-3	117-3	117-3	117-3	117-5	117-5	117-5	116-8	116-8	116-8
MINERAL ORIGIN—															
Raw.....	99-2	99-0	99-0	98-9	99-0	99-0	99-0	99-7	99-7	99-7	100-2	100-1	100-1	100-1	100-1
Manufactured.....	102-0	102-0	101-7	101-7	101-7	101-3	101-3	101-4	101-5	101-5	101-5	101-4	100-1	100-1	100-1
Totals.....	100-7	100-7	100-5	100-4	100-5	100-3	100-3	100-6	100-7	100-7	100-9	100-8	100-1	100-1	100-1

VIII. Prices

36. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926=100 BY COMMODITY GROUPS

[illegible]

37. PRICES OF REPRESENTATIVE COMMODITIES

Group	1944									1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Wholesale Prices of Important Commodities—														
Oats, No. 2 C.W. bush.	-515	-515	-515	-515	-513	-515	-515	-515		-515	-515	-515	-515	-513
Wheat, No. 1 Man. Northern "	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250		1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250
Flour, First Patent 2-8's														
cotton bags, Toronto.....	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900		4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900
Sugar, granulated, Montreal cwt.	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893		6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893
Cattle, steers, good, up to														
1,060 lbs. cwt.	11-780	12-040	11-710	11-100	11-040	10-310	10-630	11-040		11-370	11-130	11-540	11-900	12-310
Hogs, B 1 dressed Toronto *	17-200	17-210	17-330	17-430	17-420	17-270	17-240	17-630		17-630	17-480	17-800	17-470	17-620
Beef hides, packer hides														
native steers lbs.	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150		-150	-150	-150	-150	-150
Leather, green hide crops..	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480		-480	-480	-480	-480	-480
Bor sides, B. Ohawa..... ft.	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240		-240	-240	-240	-240	-240
Butter, creamery, finest,														
Montreal..... lb.	-359	-355	-356	-362	-367	-368	-369	-369		-369	-369	-369	-368	-362
Eggs, Grade "A", Montreal.. dos.	-585	-593	-605	-647	-655	-680	-694	-610		-397	-390	-384	-376	-371
Cotton yarns, 10's white,														
single..... "	-263	-293	-293	-293	-293	-293	-293	-293		-293	-293	-293	-293	-293
Wool, eastern bright 1 blood	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310		-310	-310	-310	-310	-310
Wool, western range, semi-														
bright, 1 blood..... "	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260		-260	-260	-260	-260	-260
Pulp, groundwood, No. 1..... ton	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000		55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000
Pig-iron, foundry No. 1.....	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500		25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500
Steel, merchant bars, mill, 100 lb.	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754		2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-550
Copper, electrolytic, domes-														
tic, Montreal..... cwt.	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500		11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500
Lead, domestic, Montreal..... "	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000		5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000
Tin ingots, Straits, Toronto, lb.	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620		-620	-620	-620	-620	-620
Zinc, domestic, Montreal..... cwt.	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150		5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150
Coal, anthracite, Toronto... ton	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360		12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360
Coal, bituminous, N.S. run-														
of-mine..... ton	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650		6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650
Gasoline, Toronto..... gal.	-205	-205	-205	-205	-205	-195	-195	-195		-195	-195	-195	-195	-195
Sulphuric acid, 66° Baume net ton	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000		18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000

*Dressed weight grading.

38. INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES 1935-39 - 100

Security Prices—														
COMMON STOCK PRICES—														
Total (100).....	76-9	83-7	87-5	86-9	85-6	86-2	86-6	86-6	86-4	87-9	88-2	84-2	97-2	
Industrials, total (74).....	74-8	78-9	83-3	82-3	80-4	81-5	81-0	80-7	83-6	87-5	88-2	89-0	92-4	
Machinery and equipment (10)	107-0	113-0	116-2	117-3	114-4	116-6	116-7	119-4	120-7	123-6	123-1	123-1	131-6	
Pulp and paper (7).....	112-8	118-5	124-0	125-2	129-6	136-0	137-5	145-5	140-8	154-0	152-4	147-4	151-3	
Milling (4).....	95-4	97-3	100-3	100-7	102-1	101-0	101-9	106-7	108-7	108-4	102-4	106-4	110-1	
Oils (4).....	70-4	73-4	76-6	74-6	72-9	72-8	72-9	72-2	74-8	77-9	79-1	73-5	78-9	
Textiles and clothing (10).....	118-8	123-5	125-2	127-3	127-9	129-4	130-7	133-4	135-5	136-2	136-3	136-5	140-3	
Food and allied products (13)	92-8	94-6	101-2	103-2	102-4	101-1	101-4	104-2	105-8	106-8	106-2	107-1	105-7	
Beverages (8).....	132-1	150-9	154-3	154-5	150-9	156-3	166-7	168-0	175-5	184-9	182-0	194-4	202-6	
Building materials (16).....	85-6	83-3	88-9	87-2	85-3	86-8	87-3	88-6	102-4	103-0	102-6	104-7	107-8	
Industrial mines (2).....	84-1	70-2	75-8	74-6	72-4	74-6	71-7	89-8	73-2	79-0	80-4	82-8	88-7	
Utilities, total (18).....	97-5	102-0	104-3	101-5	95-1	100-0	100-8	105-9	107-7	111-6	110-4	112-4	115-0	
Transportation (2).....	117-6	125-7	142-5	130-5	121-9	129-7	125-2	136-8	136-9	152-9	146-4	154-1	162-5	
Telephone and telegraph (2).....	98-1	99-4	99-3	99-0	100-1	102-4	104-2	103-7	105-2	104-5	105-8	105-5	106-6	
Power and traction (14).....	91-2	95-6	93-9	92-9	89-9	80-6	81-8	96-0	99-3	100-9	100-7	101-6	102-8	
Banks (8).....	78-0	78-1	78-2	85-6	87-1	86-7	86-6	88-1	90-0	89-5	90-0	89-6	90-1	
MINING STOCK PRICES—														
Total (25).....	77-5	82-2	87-3	85-3	84-9	84-1	83-1	80-6	85-6	91-7	89-8	90-5	94-3	
Gold (22).....	69-2	74-1	80-0	78-4	77-3	75-6	75-0	74-4	80-5	87-3	84-7	85-3	90-6	
Base metals (3).....	83-0	97-1	100-2	97-3	98-7	99-8	95-9	91-6	93-9	98-2	97-9	99-6	99-1	
Preferred Stocks.....	118-5	123-2	124-7	123-0	126-3	126-7	128-8	129-8	131-8	132-1	130-6	130-3	132-4	
BOND PRICES AND YIELDS—														
Treasury Bill yields.....	0-289	0-285	0-380	0-353	0-380	0-380	0-380	0-372	0-371	0-371	0-365	.....	.....
Dominion of Canada yields	3-00	2-99	2-99	2-99	2-99	2-99	2-99	2-98	2-97	2-97	2-96	.....	.....
Index of.....	97-2	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	96-9	96-7	96-6	96-3	96-0	96-0	
Capitalized yields.....	103-9	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-2	103-4	103-5	103-8	104-2	104-2	

IX. Finance

39. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE BANK OF CANADA, 1945

Item	May 16	May 23	May 30	May 31	June 6	June 13
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
LIABILITIES—						
1. Capital paid up.....	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000
2. Rest fund.....	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367
3. Notes in circulation.....	1,065,647,762	1,057,799,389	1,055,953,544	1,055,820,308	1,057,815,832	1,055,989,648
4. Deposits—						
(a) Dominion Government.....	64,923,520	70,389,117	45,067,514	33,560,253	68,522,186	50,866,718
(b) Provincial Governments.....	438,743,736	444,837,944	443,092,664	464,814,581	450,437,879	484,459,058
(c) Chartered Banks.....	39,357,249	45,772,625	40,846,917	32,442,527	32,580,440	30,572,543
(d) Other.....	543,024,505	561,189,686	529,027,066	530,817,361	551,540,506	565,898,320
Total.....	1,096,028,810	1,127,396,352	1,058,034,101	1,057,734,701	1,113,080,111	1,131,836,939
5. Liabilities, Sterling U.S.A. currency.....	176,272,273	176,272,273	176,272,273	176,272,273	175,062,529	175,062,529
6. All other liabilities.....	31,961,240	18,174,942	19,441,332	43,733,642	23,784,152	16,206,016
Total.....	1,831,956,146	1,828,496,656	1,796,744,611	1,821,693,950	1,823,253,386	1,828,206,900
ASSETS—						
1. Reserve—						
Gold coin and bullion.....						
Silver bullion.....						
Sterling and U.S.A. dollars.....	176,272,273	187,272,273	176,272,273	177,922,273	175,062,529	175,062,529
Other currencies, of countries on a gold standard.....						
Total.....	176,272,273	187,272,273	176,272,273	177,922,273	175,062,529	175,062,529
2. Subsidiary coin.....	485,666	483,207	510,316	505,176	505,272	483,693
3. Bills discounted.....						
4. Advances to—						
(a) Dominion Government.....						
(b) Provincial Governments.....						
(c) Chartered and Savings Bank.....		2,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
Total.....		2,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
Bills bought except treasury bills.....						
Investments—						
(a) Dominion and Provincial Government short securities.....	1,063,550,889	1,076,377,592	1,056,096,195	1,068,334,269	1,058,124,338	1,059,506,768
(b) Other Dominion and Provincial Government securities.....	523,461,387	526,662,787	529,792,029	533,479,002	544,551,701	561,266,451
(c) Other securities.....	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000
Total.....	1,597,011,976	1,613,040,379	1,595,888,223	1,611,813,271	1,612,676,039	1,630,773,219
7. Bank Premises.....	1,939,896	1,939,896	1,939,896	1,939,896	1,939,896	1,939,896
8. All other Assets.....	56,246,335	23,260,901	19,633,908	28,013,335	32,069,681	18,947,564
Total.....	1,831,956,146	1,828,496,656	1,796,744,611	1,821,693,950	1,823,253,386	1,828,206,900

40. EQUATION OF EXCHANGE

Millions of Dollars

	1944										1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Circulating Media—														
Bank Notes in Circulation—														
Bank of Canada.....	915-3	911-5	920-8	942-4	960-4	982-8	1012-5	1007-8	1036-0	1020-0	1028-6	1043-7	1062-3	
Chartered Banks.....	33-6	37-4	36-6	36-0	35-8	35-3	35-0	34-2	33-6	32-0	31-3	30-6	30-0	
Notes in hands of public.....	637-2	609-5	653-1	856-0	868-2	906-1	913-5	902-6	930-2	908-7	928-3	965-9	952-6	
Subsidiary coin in hands of public.....	55-7	55-4	56-8	56-7	57-1	60-4	58-4	59-0	59-9	58-1	58-5	60-3	59-7	
Total Circulating Media in hands of public (M).....	892-9	864-9	900-8	912-6	925-3	966-5	971-9	961-6	990-1	966-8	986-9	1026-3	1012-3	
Deposits—														
Deposits with Chartered Banks:														
Dominion Government.....	146-8	952-8	699-9	521-8	293-1	171-1	303-3	969-6	763-2	609-2	430-1	159-8	219-6	
Provincial Government.....	118-4	91-5	100-6	110-7	110-1	117-3	120-1	94-5	88-4	100-0	110-9	119-2	142-1	
Demand.....	1987-4	1711-4	1840-7	1818-9	1894-1	1973-8	2144-5	1813-3	1862-3	1816-1	1859-4	1934-8	2113-3	
Notices.....	2253-7	2093-9	2194-5	2204-5	2369-6	2404-2	2488-9	2343-1	2423-0	2524-0	2630-6	2724-7	2734-7	
Total.....	4506-3	4849-6	4635-7	4715-9	4666-9	4726-3	4956-7	4596-7	4536-8	5049-3	5021-0	4938-4	5209-7	
Deposits with Bank of Canada:														
Dominion Government.....	24-6	101-8	8-2	43-0	53-9	21-9	76-9	10-8	12-9	23-2	27-9	18-7	39-5	
Other.....	17-4	26-6	22-0	22-3	34-3	33-3	32-4	20-4	27-7	36-0	37-2	52-7	50-8	
Total.....	42-0	128-4	30-2	65-3	88-1	55-2	109-3	31-2	40-6	59-2	65-1	71-3	90-3	
Total Deposits (M).....	4548-3	4978-0	4865-8	4781-2	4755-0	4781-5	5066-1	4525-7	4577-4	5108-4	5086-1	5009-8	5300-1	
Money Supply (M+M).....	5441-2	5842-9	5775-7	5693-9	5680-3	5478-1	6038-0	6213-3	6167-5	6075-2	6073-0	6036-0	6312-3	
Cash and Cheque Payments—														
Bank Debits.....	4561-3	6652-6	5210-4	4733-5	4531-8	4818-6	4681-9	6671-2	5903-0	5070-0	4433-5	5329-0	4855-1	
Bank Credits less large centres.....	1036-0	1309-9	1083-1	1022-8	1008-7	1009-3	1109-2	1389-1	1119-1	1130-5	949-7	1033-7	1040-4	
Estimated total cheque payments (M+V).....	5277-1	7725-4	6036-7	5420-6	5257-1	5885-1	5791-8	7062-0	5767-6	5807-5	5108-2	6165-0	5639-8	
Velocity of deposits (V).....	1-16	1-55	1-24	1-13	1-11	1-17	1-18	1-49	1-11	1-13	1-00	1-22	1-09	
Cash Payments (MV).....	1206-3	1562-0	1314-7	1201-0	1196-4	1317-4	1336-4	1669-3	1280-2	1272-3	1149-7	1458-3	1286-6	
Cash and Cheque Payments (MV + M+V).....	6483-4	9287-4	7351-4	6621-7	6453-5	6602-5	7068-3	9361-2	7047-8	7084-8	6287-9	7623-3	6925-4	

IX. Finance—Continued
41. CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS
 Millions of Dollars

	1944										1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Assets—														
CANADIAN CASH RESERVE—														
Notes of Bank of Canada	116-01	138-71	108-44	121-86	127-37	111-91	133-95	139-40	139-41	143-90	131-52	113-38	139-69	
Deposits with Bank of Canada	385-17	377-65	414-69	414-85	432-51	454-77	454-34	437-22	401-72	415-15	397-63	422-03	445-95	
Total	501-18	516-37	518-13	536-74	559-89	566-68	588-29	576-63	541-13	557-05	539-16	535-41	588-64	
Gold and coin	10-82	11-74	10-75	11-49	11-63	10-62	11-36	11-50	10-79	12-86	12-72	10-92	11-83	
Foreign currency	92-14	106-04	118-50	121-94	125-33	124-04	119-73	110-24	101-43	100-41	95-78	90-52	95-88	
Notes and Cheques on other banks	182-07	208-45	316-50	213-09	211-82	212-67	215-04	232-44	243-30	200-02	202-79	196-73	231-87	
Balances at other banks—														
United Kingdom banks	42-34	41-04	40-09	41-12	40-93	41-88	41-95	39-20	40-04	42-97	42-47	43-28	46-09	
Other foreign banks	173-48	207-32	259-57	175-36	170-66	157-70	170-61	193-04	172-74	186-09	205-09	182-25	211-97	
Canadian chartered banks	2-44	2-76	2-26	2-44	2-36	2-51	3-72	3-38	2-38	2-52	2-68	2-73	2-46	
SECURITIES—														
Dom. Prov. Government	3,028-7	3,011-6	2,982-3	3,005-2	2,993-1	2,787-0	2,959-4	2,928-2	2,936-2	2,904-5	2,950-3	2,916-0	3,080-9	
Canadian municipal	67-42	67-80	82-81	81-10	82-30	85-30	85-07	76-81	76-51	83-12	84-05	82-67	83-18	
Foreign public	216-74	215-33	213-71	226-86	214-22	209-55	205-05	108-02	210-08	212-78	208-08	218-23	230-58	
Other	77-04	79-46	79-47	74-87	78-61	78-10	70-25	82-55	95-82	94-19	98-57	100-70	100-35	
Total	3,389-9	3,374-2	3,358-3	3,358-1	3,368-3	3,159-8	3,329-3	3,283-6	3,318-6	3,294-6	3,341-0	3,318-5	3,504-1	
CALL AND SHORT LOANS—														
In Canada	41-53	80-87	71-30	63-35	61-44	56-24	56-26	80-74	91-78	94-72	80-01	77-52	82-27	
Elsewhere	79-79	109-25	100-01	101-14	98-65	113-73	112-23	91-15	95-93	109-07	95-03	90-99	100-82	
CURRENT LOANS—														
In Canada—														
Prov. Governments	4-95	9-34	6-83	5-37	4-30	5-06	4-97	7-66	11-53	8-74	5-07	6-90	6-68	
Municipalities, etc.	48-30	46-65	36-05	33-02	31-78	32-01	33-24	36-49	17-47	14-28	17-66	20-25	18-26	
Other	866-98	1117-46	1060-78	1024-11	986-29	939-28	953-69	1231-09	1182-19	1132-75	1102-11	1066-86	1022-51	
Elsewhere than in Canada	116-62	117-93	110-10	110-46	111-83	115-32	116-53	126-96	130-33	125-59	123-70	119-90	121-54	
OTHER ASSETS—														
Non-current loans	2-01	1-96	1-81	1-74	1-69	1-65	1-55	1-83	1-36	1-32	1-24	1-22	1-21	
Bank premises	64-14	64-22	64-03	64-05	64-10	63-94	63-02	62-51	62-53	62-41	62-43	62-46	62-16	
Other real estate	4-14	3-93	3-82	3-71	3-65	3-30	3-18	3-02	2-47	2-39	2-35	2-31	2-28	
Mortgages	2-47	2-53	2-46	2-40	2-32	2-35	2-37	2-30	2-28	2-28	2-26	2-12	2-08	
Loans to controlled companies	10-28	10-68	10-62	10-67	10-61	10-64	10-30	10-67	10-59	10-94	10-86	10-76	10-54	
Note circulation deposit	3-29	3-29	3-31	2-26	2-26	2-26	2-26	2-26	2-27	2-27	2-27	2-27	2-27	
Letters of credit	100-57	107-26	112-31	117-39	117-92	128-23	124-36	124-06	121-13	120-33	112-74	112-97	120-82	
Other assets	2-84	2-74	2-75	2-67	2-60	2-77	3-06	4-17	4-17	4-29	4-24	4-27	4-11	
Total Assets	5,742-3	6,142-7	6,210-3	6,032-8	5,970-2	6,043-1	6,261-0	6,527-6	6,459-1	6,364-7	6,339-6	6,248-6	6,545-5	
Liabilities—														
Notes in circulation	38-59	37-43	36-00	36-05	35-82	35-25	35-00	34-24	33-60	32-02	31-29	30-57	30-02	
Deposit Liabilities—														
Government Deposits—														
Dominion	146-77	952-78	699-86	521-75	293-08	171-07	203-26	969-60	763-17	609-16	420-07	159-79	219-61	
Provincial	118-42	91-54	100-55	110-69	110-09	117-30	120-09	94-51	88-37	100-02	110-91	119-17	142-11	
Public Deposits—														
Demand in Canada	1987-39	1711-41	1840-71	1818-94	1894-10	1973-78	2144-45	1813-34	1862-33	1816-06	1859-43	1934-75	2113-33	
Time in Canada	2,253-7	2,093-9	2,194-5	2,264-8	2,369-6	2,464-2	2,468-9	2,343-1	2,420-0	2,524-0	2,630-6	2,724-7	2,734-7	
Foreign	660-75	744-63	790-90	737-93	723-05	673-07	673-86	677-67	683-33	681-22	703-90	684-55	710-45	
Deposits of other Banks—														
Canadian chartered banks	16-58	14-11	21-20	15-08	18-78	17-89	20-70	17-59	19-07	14-03	18-36	16-56	18-21	
United Kingdom banks	30-75	30-22	32-65	33-04	31-38	31-58	32-80	32-87	32-01	37-57	36-91	41-49	35-97	
Other banks	52-93	52-02	72-56	60-49	63-76	57-36	55-70	55-05	62-83	56-14	54-83	56-21	54-13	
Total Deposit Liabilities	5,297-3	5,690-6	6,758-0	5,568-5	5,503-8	5,507-5	5,739-6	6,006-9	5,934-0	5,838-2	5,832-7	5,737-2	6,028-5	
of which: Canadian currency	4,492-9	4,806-5	4,824-2	4,599-6	4,656-3	4,708-2	4,933-2	5,212-4	5,145-4	5,023-9	5,012-2	4,937-9	5,175-2	
Other Liabilities—														
Bills payable	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	
Letters of Credit	100-57	107-26	112-31	117-39	117-92	128-23	124-36	124-06	121-13	120-33	112-74	112-97	120-82	
Other	5-80	5-98	5-65	5-67	6-14	5-97	6-78	6-30	5-85	5-46	5-47	5-02	5-22	
Liabilities to Shareholders														
Dividends	2-17	1-79	1-18	2-16	1-80	1-28	2-26	1-50	1-18	2-45	1-52	1-19	2-46	
Reserve	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	
Capital paid up	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	
Total liabilities	5,728-6	6,125-3	6,191-0	6,012-2	5,947-6	6,017-6	6,245-6	6,510-3	6,440-9	6,344-6	6,317-5	6,224-0	6,524-6	
Daily Average Data—														
Canadian currency deposits	4,352-2	4,634-7	4,656-8	4,671-7	4,595-0	4,556-5	4,765-8	5,079-0	5,008-9	5,039-3	4,958-6	4,911-8	4,992-7	
Canadian cash reserve	510-3	531-1	547-5	543-6	545-8	572-9	584-6	594-7	574-5	578-1	560-0	554-7	585-9	
Total public note circulation	817-8	804-5	810-4	832-8	851-5	868-1	892-8	891-9	909-5	898-4	910-2	931-4	940-2	
Daily Average Ratios: Cash to Deposits	11-7	11-5	11-8	11-6	11-9	12-6	12-8	11-7	11-3	11-5	11-3	11-3	11-7	

Chartered bank note circulation and Bank of Canada notes not held by chartered banks.

IX. Finance—Continued

42. BANK DEBITS IN MILLION DOLLARS

Areas and Cities	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Bank Debits—													
MARITIME PROVINCES													
Halifax.....	79.9	53.5	55.8	50.9	51.0	64.9	86.5	62.1	59.6	52.0	50.1	59.7	88.0
Moncton.....	21.7	19.3	16.5	18.0	19.2	21.0	24.9	22.1	18.4	17.8	19.9	19.8	22.3
Saint John.....	42.6	32.2	32.0	29.0	27.1	28.8	44.7	36.2	33.1	29.5	32.8	37.1	54.9
Totals.....	144.3	105.0	104.3	97.8	98.2	114.8	156.2	120.5	111.2	99.3	111.8	116.6	165.2
QUEBEC—													
Montreal.....	1,746.4	1,434.0	1,255.8	1,147.2	1,199.8	1,144.0	1,712.5	1,314.3	1,378.4	1,193.8	1,366.9	1,206.9	1,764.8
Quebec.....	144.0	150.9	117.3	129.7	124.4	134.1	182.5	144.1	162.8	106.4	136.7	117.7	157.8
Sherbrooke.....	15.2	12.6	11.5	11.9	12.2	12.8	15.8	13.2	11.9	11.2	12.5	13.0	18.0
Totals.....	1,905.6	1,597.6	1,384.6	1,288.7	1,336.4	1,290.9	1,910.8	1,471.7	1,553.0	1,311.4	1,516.1	1,337.6	1,940.6
ONTARIO—													
Brantford.....	26.5	20.9	20.4	18.3	18.9	21.4	25.1	19.8	18.2	17.4	18.7	20.5	27.7
Chatham.....	12.5	10.6	11.3	10.9	10.0	12.3	16.2	14.4	14.0	15.0	15.6	12.2	14.7
Fort William.....	17.7	12.5	13.2	22.6	12.8	14.5	18.8	13.9	13.0	11.6	13.1	13.9	17.3
Hamilton.....	142.3	108.9	111.3	100.6	106.7	118.4	142.0	124.8	109.7	113.7	105.9	100.2	141.8
Kingston.....	17.9	12.3	12.9	12.8	12.9	13.9	16.9	14.1	13.0	11.1	12.6	12.4	17.4
Kitchener.....	40.4	21.1	20.1	20.1	21.2	22.2	32.0	23.0	23.4	20.8	23.0	22.6	41.6
London.....	74.9	59.5	57.6	43.6	51.1	51.3	60.8	65.1	66.8	44.1	60.8	50.9	86.2
Ottawa.....	875.7	534.1	518.0	523.5	724.9	804.7	784.0	511.5	492.2	444.6	804.0	709.7	742.2
Peterborough.....	14.6	12.4	10.9	11.3	11.7	13.4	14.3	12.8	12.1	11.3	12.7	13.9	15.6
St. Catharines.....	26.8	19.0	17.7	17.1	18.9	19.9	28.1	21.2	18.3	17.1	20.5	18.2	25.0
Sarnia.....	19.2	16.8	14.8	15.7	13.3	15.9	20.2	17.2	18.2	15.1	17.7	20.8	23.8
Sudbury.....	11.3	9.2	9.1	9.2	9.3	10.0	10.5	10.1	9.6	7.9	9.4	10.4	11.7
Toronto.....	1,074.5	1,333.8	1,114.7	1,052.7	1,103.2	994.1	1,696.5	1,336.3	1,334.2	1,249.0	1,477.7	1,121.0	1,923.6
Windsor.....	102.1	74.7	79.2	78.9	75.0	79.3	97.3	84.8	83.3	69.9	80.8	74.6	91.0
Totals.....	3,056.4	2,246.5	2,011.0	1,937.3	2,193.0	2,191.3	2,968.8	2,269.5	2,226.0	2,048.6	2,672.5	2,201.1	3,182.5
PRAIRIE PROVINCES—													
Brandon.....	9.3	7.2	7.8	6.9	7.3	8.5	9.6	7.5	6.9	5.7	6.7	7.8	9.4
Calgary.....	159.4	121.0	121.0	118.2	108.6	128.7	158.9	117.0	137.6	103.5	104.8	117.4	143.5
Edmonton.....	85.7	83.9	83.6	86.8	81.3	85.3	104.9	80.6	86.3	88.2	83.6	94.1	114.0
Lethbridge.....	10.2	12.1	9.0	9.0	9.4	10.0	12.5	9.6	8.5	7.6	8.0	10.1	9.8
Medicine Hat.....	5.9	5.2	5.2	5.1	6.3	6.6	6.0	5.1	4.9	4.2	4.9	5.2	5.7
Moose Jaw.....	17.1	11.8	12.0	15.2	15.5	15.8	17.5	14.9	12.1	12.5	13.8	14.3	14.8
Prince Albert.....	8.2	6.3	6.7	6.5	6.7	7.1	7.9	7.1	6.6	6.0	6.8	7.3	7.3
Regina.....	104.1	102.7	95.2	79.9	100.1	110.7	136.3	94.0	93.2	75.7	70.7	83.6	125.1
Saskatoon.....	25.5	21.0	21.6	21.0	23.5	23.5	24.5	24.8	22.0	19.5	22.8	23.1	25.7
Winnipeg.....	715.3	586.3	574.1	559.3	565.2	647.2	759.0	546.7	404.2	361.4	379.6	533.3	707.2
Totals.....	1,140.7	957.6	936.1	911.0	920.8	1,043.5	1,237.1	916.3	872.4	684.3	702.8	896.1	1,162.4
BRITISH COLUMBIA—													
New Westminster.....	17.3	14.5	14.4	14.8	14.1	14.7	17.7	14.9	15.7	13.5	16.5	14.7	17.8
Vancouver.....	330.8	248.1	247.1	242.4	216.2	232.7	330.1	234.7	240.5	234.9	267.0	243.9	364.1
Victoria.....	57.8	50.1	36.0	39.7	39.9	44.0	50.5	35.5	51.1	41.5	42.3	45.1	61.3
Totals.....	405.6	312.8	297.4	296.9	270.2	291.4	398.3	285.1	307.3	289.9	325.8	303.7	443.2
Canada.....	6,632.6	5,219.4	4,733.5	4,531.9	4,818.6	4,931.9	6,671.2	5,063.0	5,070.6	4,433.5	5,329.0	4,555.1	6,894.6

CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS

Index Number— (1935-39=100)	Apr.	May.	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Canadian deposits (daily average).....	186.9	199.0	199.9	200.6	197.3	195.6	204.5	218.1	218.9	216.4	212.9	210.8	214.4
Canadian cash re- serve (daily av- erage).....	212.1	220.7	227.6	225.0	226.8	228.1	242.9	247.2	238.8	240.3	232.8	230.5	243.5
Current loans in Canada.....	111.2	143.3	136.0	131.3	123.9	120.4	122.3	157.8	151.6	145.2	141.3	136.8	131.1
Total securities.....	249.9	248.8	247.6	249.8	248.3	233.0	245.5	242.1	244.7	242.9	246.3	244.7	258.4
Total public note circulation*.....	420.9	414.1	417.1	428.6	438.2	446.8	459.5	459.0	468.1	462.4	468.5	479.4	483.9

*Chartered bank note circulation and Bank of Canada notes not held by chartered banks.

IX. FINANCE—Continued

43. DOMINION GOVERNMENT REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

Classification	Month of May, 1945 (unrevised)	Month of May, 1944	April 1, 1945, to May 31, 1945 (May unrevised)	April 1, 1944, to May 31, 1944
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Receipts—Ordinary Revenue				
Customs Import Duties April, 1945.....	17,568,606	14,885,853	23,942,166	25,252,071
Less Drawbacks.....				
Excise Duties.....	14,803,690	11,387,009	26,718,971	20,545,894
Excise Taxes, Sales, Stamps, etc.....	79,614,626	62,860,644	81,287,094	86,300,163
Income Tax and Excess Profits.....	154,367,961	179,996,465	276,907,843	295,710,006
Post Office Department.....	4,900,000	4,500,000	10,300,000	9,900,000
Sundry Departments.....	6,500,528	6,936,599	8,624,278	8,483,253
Total Ordinary Revenue.....	277,755,710	280,367,469	427,750,351	446,191,388
Special Receipts.....	4,471,750	1,373,089	4,885,037	1,394,902
Total.....	282,227,460	281,940,558	432,635,388	447,586,290
Ordinary Expenditure—				
Agriculture.....	754,735	689,961	1,428,008	1,321,579
Auditor General's Office.....	31,233	30,552	61,528	59,958
Chief Electoral Office, including elections.....	72,050	2,059	159,715	4,075
Civil Service Commission.....	39,131	36,916	77,118	74,712
External Affairs.....	229,769	125,566	417,847	272,495
Finance—				
Compensation to Provinces re Taxation Agreements.....	2,548,249	1,892,201	6,306,182	5,601,314
Interest on Public Debt.....	54,416,084	52,274,361	59,623,648	61,598,620
Other Public Debt Charges.....	1,495,482	1,284,211	2,575,802	2,267,631
Old Age Pensions.....	214	220	429	440
Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury.....	353,817	215,999	623,254	423,933
Superannuation and Miscellaneous Pensions.....	37,061	37,393	74,330	75,227
General Expenditure (Finance Dept.).....	43,152	43,942	82,626	81,100
Miscellaneous Grants and Contributions.....	3,750	12,500	99,428	68,083
Miscellaneous Offices and Commissions.....	62,159	66,827	108,410	122,093
Fisheries.....	207,303	140,389	295,965	214,422
Governor General and Lieutenant Governors.....	13,068	13,711	26,432	27,034
Insurance.....	13,182	12,398	24,677	24,245
Justice.....	517,478	462,951	926,007	848,668
Labour.....	112,559	124,196	177,990	176,141
Unemployment Insurance Commission.....	1,448,787	1,486,265	2,602,753	2,555,201
Legislation—Houses of Parliament and Library.....	192,148	304,329	307,614	625,968
Mines and Resources.....	1,203,589	1,193,797	1,764,023	1,820,466
Munitions and Supply (Coal Subsidies, etc.).....	281,365	286,298	282,365	317,330
National Health and Welfare.....	199,839	80,861	293,948	143,365
National Research Council.....	108,070	67,178	156,478	111,392
National Revenue.....	1,770,296	1,623,200	3,478,040	3,116,461
National War Services.....	13,765	14,270	24,437	31,156
Post Office.....	4,399,956	3,809,749	6,501,266	5,695,227
Privy Council.....	6,834	6,510	13,411	13,021
Public Archives.....	9,631	9,720	19,451	19,523
Public Printing and Stationery.....	14,009	14,059	19,717	20,504

43. DOMINION GOVERNMENT REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES—Concluded

Classification	Month of May, 1945 (unrevised)	Month of May, 1944	April 1, 1945, to May 31, 1945 (May unrevised)	April 1, 1944, to May 31, 1944
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Ordinary Expenditure—con.				
Public Works.....	838,790	814,010	1,333,011	1,273,478
Reconstruction.....	72,003		101,220	
Royal Canadian Mounted Police.....	713,578	653,068	1,205,845	1,271,360
Secretary of State.....	74,701	66,814	143,753	131,476
Soldier Settlement and Veterans' Land Act.....	158,580	94,020	280,580	173,798
Trade and Commerce.....	542,445	512,177	947,522	883,547
Transport.....	1,229,936	1,347,681	1,862,372	1,888,632
Maritime Freight Rates Act.....	270,971		790,971	583,333
Veterans Affairs.....	13,861,958	4,967,629	23,339,225	9,628,171
Total Ordinary Expenditure.....	88,370,778	74,807,915	118,556,254	103,565,120
Capital Expenditure—				
Transport.....	377,983	477,432	397,143	483,562
Special Expenditure—				
Agricultural Assistance and Relief Works.....	156,130	423,053	247,242	529,722
War Expenditure.....	183,836,616	78,457,725	305,649,403	*398,055,104
Mutual Aid.....	215,930,315	11,346,763	225,934,443	68,920,867
Total Special Expenditure.....	399,923,061	90,227,542	531,831,088	467,505,694
Government Owned Enterprises—				
Canadian National Railways—				
P.E.I. Car Ferry and Terminal Deficit.....	61,000		155,000	88,000
Other Charges.....	18,519	79,657	18,519	79,657
Grand Total Expenditure.....	488,751,310	165,592,545	650,958,004	571,722,032
Loans and Advances—				
To Railway and Steamship Companies—				
Canadian National Railways.....	34,111	3,022,921	Cr. 1,475,031	31,517,325
To Foreign Exchange Control Board.....	100,000,000	25,000,000	100,000,000	40,000,000
To Sundry Government Agencies—				
Soldiers Settlement and Veterans' Land Act.....	258,288	345,714	276,029	403,260
Commodity Prices Stabilization Corp. Ltd.....	5,000,000	9,875,000	10,000,000	19,875,000
Sundry.....	Cr. 580,200	Cr. 2,533,069	Cr. 1,143,990	Cr. 3,487,697
To Provincial and Municipal Governments.....	Cr. 509,151	Cr. 82,116	Cr. 564,931	Cr. 83,253
To United Kingdom and Other Governments.....	Cr. 37,796,349	21,454,744	Cr. 25,834,848	936,567
Miscellaneous.....	Cr. 64,848	219,808	Cr. 75,215	202,889
Investments—				
Miscellaneous.....	58,451,291	Cr. 2,678,596	65,020,692	Cr. 2,087,346
Total Loans and Investments.....	124,793,142	54,624,407	146,202,707	87,276,747

*Includes an amount of \$177,000,000 subsequently transferred to previous fiscal year.

44. STOCK MARKET TRANSACTIONS AND BOND FINANCING

Classification	1944										1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May		
MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE AND MONTREAL CURS MARKET—															
Shares Traded—															
Industrials.....000	439	790	738	491	398	416	450	761	889	888	757	716	835		
Mines.....000	438	898	1,420	397	475	244	548	428	779	1,139	6,116	6,512	7,329		
Value of Listings.....\$000,000	7,056	7,322	7,362	7,409	7,206	7,215	7,054	7,180	7,262	7,568	7,331	7,564			
Brokers' Loans.....\$000	9,173	10,454	10,632	11,389	11,078	11,100	11,655	12,456	12,561	13,217	12,893	14,146			
Loan Ratio.....	0-18	0-20	0-21	0-22	0-22	0-22	0-23	0-24	0-24	0-24	0-24	0-25			
TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE—															
Borrowings on collateral.....\$000	16,876	18,054	19,977	19,251	19,372	19,509	20,754	21,522	22,461	22,928	22,461	26,464	28,964		
Ratio to quoted values.....	0-35	0-34	0-38	0-36	0-37	0-37	0-36	0-40	0-39	0-40	0-40	0-44	0-47		
Sales.....000	17,017	20,634	17,455	12,475	13,263	10,401	11,862	11,880	26,890	28,994	47,727	73,713	36,379		
Values.....\$000	20,378	31,307	41,341	22,525	22,516	16,750	19,784	22,917	37,479	42,279	55,208	64,128	57,947		
Market values.....\$000,000	4,515	5,390	5,290	5,304	5,245	5,221	5,245	5,406	5,555	5,882	5,773	6,020	6,139		
New Issues of Bonds.....\$000,000	1481-4	221-3	149-1	233-1	659-7	881-9	1821-9	145-8	193-1	178-1	697-2	605-0	1662-8		
INDEX OF DIVIDEND PAYMENTS.....	123-6	129-3	129-9	129-9	129-9	129-9	129-9	129-9	130-0	133-3	136-7	140-0	140-1		
DIVIDEND PAYMENTS.....\$000	8,100	50,684	23,013	10,823	22,819	17,720	6,276	58,386	22,955	8,798	36,598	16,809	6,199		

	1942		1943				1944				1945
	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
BOND ISSUES AND RETIREMENTS¹, \$000,000											
Dom. Govt. Direct and Gtd.											
New Issues—	18-7	1009-9	119-4	1326-4	466-4	1585-9	17-4	1419-5	12-6	1672-6	14-5
Retirements—	24-0	72-3	184-1	32-2	377-5	246-0	24-2	137-4	118-7	217-3	
Provincial Direct and Gtd.											
New Issues—new		4-5	3-6		4-4	4-5	4-6	0-5	2-5	5-0	2-0
—refunding.....	33-6	20-2	60-7	20-3	20-8		13-6	21-0	25-2	29-1	47-1
Retirements—refunded.....	40-2	72-7	54-0	24-4	19-9	7-4	14-4	10-3	39-2	23-0	6-8
—other.....	10-9	12-1	10-7	15-3	19-3	8-6	21-7	22-4	15-1	12-7	10-3
Corporations											
New Issues—new	4-6	0-5	12-9	1-9	0-1	4-5	2-4	18-6	12-2	12-1	5-8
—refunding.....	0-4	3-6	5-7	24-5	3-6	1-3	33-6	35-2	4-6	22-2	80-4
Retirements—refunded.....				6-7	27-0	1-4	32-0	22-9	18-4	22-2	42-2
—other.....	8-1	12-6	16-5	29-4	9-5	18-0	13-9	19-5	21-2	28-7	12-3

¹Month end values of all listed stocks. ²Source: A. E. Ames & Co. ³Totals shown by quarters. Source: Statistical Summary, Bank of Canada.

X Other Countries

45. INDEXES OF WHOLESALE PRICES IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES*, 1944-1945

Jan.—June 1939=100

Country	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
Canada.....	140	141	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
United States.....	136	136	136	136	137	136	136	136	136	137	137	137	138
Argentina.....	201	201	203	205	207	207	208	208	208	209	210		
Chile.....	196	196	197	197	202	207	212	214	215	218	216		
Mexico.....	165	171	181	188	190	193	193	193	193	196	192	190	190
Peru.....	211	206	206	206	206	205	207	207	208	208	210	214	215
Venezuela.....	131	128	128	132	133	130	130	125	129	132	135		
China-Manchuria.....	187	187				212							
India.....	304	302	294	294	303	303	302	305		303	305		
Iran.....	304	603	644	538	524	518	517	517	517	451	454	507	524
Japan.....	150	150	158	155	157	158	159	164	165				
Palestine.....	325	330	337	325	321	325	342	345	349				
Germany.....	109	110	110	110	110	111	111	110	110	111			
Denmark.....	197	197	197	197	198	198	198	199	199	199	199		
Spain.....	155	159	190	190	191	194	194	199	203				
Finland.....	200	207	208	208	208	209	271	272	272	273	277		
Norway.....	190	190	190	181	182	182	182	182	182	182	182		
Portugal.....	242	244	246	256	253	245	249	251	250	251			
United Kingdom Board of Trade.....	169	169	170	171	171	172	172	172	171	172	172	172	
Sweden.....	179	179	179	180	180	181	180	179	179	179	179	180	180
Switzerland.....	209	210	211	211	211	212	211	210	210	210	209	209	
Australia.....	137	137	138	138	139	140	140	139	139	139	139	135	
New Zealand.....	149	148	148	149	149	149	148	148	148	149	149	150	
Union S. Africa.....	156	156	157	157	155	155	155	156	156	157			
Egypt.....	297	298	299	304	311	312	314	326	326	327			

*Source: League of Nations Bulletin.

46. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES:

Classification	1944										1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Production and Related Series—														
Industrial production...1935-9=100	239	236	235	230	232	231	232	232	231		234	236	235	231
Mineral production...1935-9=100	138	146	146	143	147	146	145	140	132		140	141	142	140
Manufacturing production.....1935-9=100	256	253	251	246	248	246	248	248	249		251	253	252	247
Cattle receipts, primary markets.....000	1,734	2,010	2,030	2,219	2,681	2,863	3,587	3,985	2,211		2,372	1,951	2,101	2,194
Hog receipts, primary market 000	3,932	4,161	3,862	3,231	2,704	2,804	2,743	3,890	3,365		3,361	2,013	2,082	1,932
Sheep and lambs, receipts... 000	1,465	2,455	2,704	2,563	2,765	3,421	3,732	2,801	2,134		2,297	1,643	1,725	1,737
Poultry receipts 5 markets.000 lb.	1,779	28,982	38,578	42,050	38,688	46,753	62,047	62,046	60,236		33,085	18,917	20,842	20,435
NEWSPRINT PRODUCTION.....000 a. tons	54.6	60.9	61.1	50.9	60.6	61.5	62.0	62.5	61.2		60.4	58.2	64.7	59.8
Consumption.....000 a. tons	201.1	197.4	191.1	174.9	182.4	189.6	218.1	211.6	206.0		185.2	175.1	202.8	203.2
Pig iron consumption.....000 a. tons	5,161	5,218	4,960	5,062	5,159	4,893	5,108	4,887	4,959		4,911	4,563	5,228	478.6
Steel ingot production...000 a. tons	7,599	7,690	7,217	7,474	7,470	7,193	7,578	7,259	7,361		7,204	6,653	7,708	7,309
Contracts awarded.....\$000,000	179.3	144.2	163.9	190.5	169.2	175.7	144.8	164.9	188.5		140.9	147.0	328.9	395.8
Car loadings.....000 cars	4,069	3,446	3,445	4,361	3,880	4,428	3,699	3,366	3,699		3,002	3,060	4,019	3,374
Electric power production.....mill. k.h.	18,613	19,066	18,779	18,981	19,764	18,702	19,226	19,153	19,830		20,280	18,021	19,527	18,631
Tobacco Consumption—														
Cigars.....mn.	362	400	394	352	418	391	412	446	395		379	387	418	388
Cigarettes.....mn.	18,778	21,065	21,166	20,478	22,306	20,021	19,771	20,554	17,826		20,077	16,673	18,679	17,090
Mfd. tobacco and snuff...000 lbs.	20,036	23,968	23,350	21,338	26,971	25,335	28,793	30,729	26,017		27,519	25,089	27,045	25,212
Petroleum production...mn. bbls.	133.6	141.3	137.2	141.3	145.3	143.0	146.9	142.4	145.3		147.2	133.2	148.8	.....
Consumption (to stills)mn. bbls.	132.3	139.5	139.9	143.4	143.0	140.5	143.7	140.0	145.1		145.1	134.9	146.3	.....
Stocks, end of month														
refinable in U.S.....mn. bbls.	234.7	235.2	229.6	223.5	223.9	222.9	223.8	223.8	220.7		221.7	220.2	224.0	.....
Gasoline production.....000 bbls.	58,384	61,191	61,719	63,480	64,064	63,674	65,514	64,842	65,900		66,662	63,503	67,955	.....
Stocks, end of month...000 bbls.	76,638	74,519	70,246	68,921	66,542	64,914	65,886	63,107	726-22		78,877	85,473	85,654	.....
Cotton consumption.....000 bales	776	822	806	734	841	793	795	837	761		850	781	858	770
Internal Trade—														
All retail stores.....\$000,000	5,439	5,721	5,592	5,452	5,644	5,899	6,135	6,214	7,445		5,462	5,168	6,346	5,464
Chain-store sales...1935-39=100	163.4	169.9	168.1	172.2	175.8	172.7	178.0	182.6	177.3		185.4	183.7	185.6	163.9
Departmental stores (adjusted).....1935-39=100	173	181	175	194	187	183	194	210	193		200	211	223	181
External Trade—														
Imports.....\$000,000	359.4	356.0	330.3	293.2	302.4	280.4	327.2	321.9	335.9		334.0	365.0	371.0	365.0
Exports.....\$000,000	1216.3	1446.1	1286.8	1190.1	1180.5	1186.5	1124.7	1176.4	940.0		893.0	873.0	1010.0	987.0
Employment—Adjusted—														
Total.....000	38,865	38,749	38,766	38,700	38,654	38,400	38,193	38,049	38,163		38,406	38,434	38,388	.....
Manufacturing.....000	16,391	16,203	16,093	16,013	15,943	15,760	15,621	15,521	15,575		15,635	15,615	15,478	.....
Mining.....000	848	843	848	833	830	822	812	806	802		808	806	796	.....
Construction.....000	719	673	677	653	648	627	609	617	629		612	614	650	.....
Transportation.....000	3,763	3,768	3,765	3,753	3,762	3,737	3,747	3,772	3,791		3,792	3,841	3,843	.....
Trade.....000	6,982	6,997	7,012	7,084	7,059	7,067	7,075	7,043	7,057		7,270	7,225	7,177	.....
*Pay Rolls—Manufacturing.....1939=100	335.0	334.3	334.6	326.8	330.3	329.1	330.3	327.3	331.8		330.3	329.1	325.7	.....
Durable goods.....1939=100	474.6	470.9	469.0	453.8	458.1	453.3	455.6	450.3	455.8		454.2	451.4	404.3	.....
Nondurable goods.....1939=100	198.2	200.7	203.2	202.6	205.2	207.5	207.8	207.0	210.5		209.2	209.5	209.7	.....

46. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES—Concluded

Classification	1944										1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Prices—														
Wholesale Prices—1935=100														
Department of Labour.....	103-9	104-0	104-3	104-1	103-9	104-0	104-1	104-4	104-7	104-9	105-2	105-3	105-7	
Bowd Prices—Dollars														
All issues, New York, S.E.....	100-31	100-62	100-53	100-71	100-74	100-61	100-71	100-92	103-12	101-91	102-58	102-53	103-10	
U.S. Treasury (taxable).....	100-3	100-2	100-2	100-2	100-4	100-4	100-3	100-3	100-3	101-0	101-8	101-6	101-7	
Prices Common Stocks														
(402).....1935-39=100	95-1	97-2	101-5	104-3	102-7	100-7	103-5	102-7	104-7	103-4	113-0	111-8	114-4	
Standard and Poor's Corporation														
Industrials (354).....	96-5	99-0	103-9	106-7	104-7	102-6	105-6	104-8	108-4	110-4	115-2	114-0	116-5	
Railways (30).....	97-3	99-3	100-8	105-9	102-5	98-7	103-4	104-9	113-9	120-7	125-3	123-6	129-3	
Utilities (39).....	87-3	87-8	89-6	91-3	92-1	91-4	92-7	92-1	92-4	93-8	96-8	96-1	98-0	
Cost of living.....1935-39=100	124-5	125-1	125-4	126-1	126-4	126-5	126-5	126-6	127-0	127-1	126-8	126-8	127-1	
Retail prices... Dec. 31, 1939=100	113-4	113-4	113-4	113-4	113-4	113-4	113-4	113-4	113-4	113-4	113-4	113-4	113-4	
Finance—														
Stocks sales, N.Y.... Mil. Shares.	12-8	17-2	37-7	28-2	20-8	15-9	17-5	18-0	31-2	38-9	32-6	27-5	.....
Bond sales, N.Y.... Mil. Dolls.	191-2	213-7	243-8	193-7	137-6	132-2	160-6	196-9	266-5	342-0	191-7	208-8	.....
BANK DEBITS, N.Y.... Mil. Dolls.	25,297	24,708	33,563	28,474	26,165	26,860	28,558	30,016	37,678	34,990	29,065	31,884	29,413	
Outside, 141 centres. Mil. Dolls.	24,933	36,067	42,613	37,634	36,420	36,765	38,308	40,312	45,400	40,292	34,730	41,715	37,838	
Income Payments and Expenditures—														
Income Payments.... Mil. Dolls.	12,582	12,300	13,490	12,838	12,605	13,659	13,684	13,253	14,405	13,357	12,743	13,636	13,180	
Index.....1928-39=100	239-4	231-1	232-6	232-2	233-7	233-7	235-8	237-5	239-0	241-9	245-2	244-1	242-1	
Expenditures—														
Goods.....\$000,000	.....	.....	16,327	.....	.....	16,741	.....	.....	18,639	.....	.....	16,410	.....
Services.....\$000,000	.....	.....	7,718	.....	.....	7,758	.....	.....	7,807	.....	.....	7,970	.....
Goods, adjusted....1935-39=100	.....	.....	172-7	.....	.....	180-6	.....	.....	183-8	.....	.....	192-8	.....
Services.....1935-39=100	.....	.....	144-5	.....	.....	146-5	.....	.....	146-8	.....	.....	147-9	.....

* Courtesy of the Survey of Current Business.

* Based on sample of 422 publishers.

* Quarterly Totals.

47. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM

Classification	1944										1945			
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Banking—														
BANK OF ENGLAND¹—														
Private deposits.....£ mn.	232-6	255-0	235-1	255-2	234-6	232-0	233-7	240-5	222-5	271-1	242-9	246-7	273-7	
Bank and currency notes£ mn.	1120-8	1126-3	1128-7	1136-8	1150-6	1150-6	1160-4	1177-3	1225-7	1220-4	1218-9	1221-8	1222-8	
Gold reserve.....£ mn.	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	
LONDON CLEARING BANKS—														
Deposits.....£ mn.	4,017	4,051	4,100	4,121	4,161	4,251	4,342	4,398	4,545	4,462	4,405	4,460	.....
Discounts.....£ mn.	149	174	262	213	211	206	170	198	147	159	140	149	.....
Advances.....£ mn.	754	756	770	758	742	755	735	738	754	753	750	771	.....
Investments.....£ mn.	1,152	1,161	1,169	1,178	1,180	1,183	1,267	1,192	1,165	1,165	1,160	1,153	.....
Money—														
Day-to-day rate.....p.e.	1-13	1-13	1-13	1-13	1-13	1-13	1-13	1-13	1-00	1-00	1-00	1-00	1-00	
Three months rate.....p.e.	1-08	1-08	1-03	1-03	1-03	1-03	1-00	1-00	1-03	1-03	1-03	1-03	1-03	
Wholesale Prices—1939=100														
Cereals.....	160-5	160-2	167-9	168-2	163-3	164-0	165-6	166-2	166-6	165-5	165-8	165-5	164-1	
Meat, fish and eggs.....	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	
Other food and tobacco.....	181-6	181-8	181-4	180-8	182-4	182-2	178-3	177-8	179-4	179-8	179-8	179-7	179-7	
Total—Food and tobacco.....	158-1	158-1	157-6	160-8	158-8	158-8	153-9	153-9	156-6	156-4	156-5	156-4	156-0	
Total—Industrial materials and mfrs.....	160-0	160-9	170-3	170-1	171-7	172-2	172-1	172-5	172-6	172-8	172-7	173-5	173-7	
Total—All articles.....	165-5	166-1	166-1	167-1	167-5	167-1	166-7	166-9	167-2	167-2	167-2	167-8	167-7	
Basic materials.....	183-0	185-4	186-1	186-0	186-0	186-0	185-9	186-8	187-2	187-4	187-3	186-6	186-6	
Intermediate products.....	174-7	176-2	176-3	176-1	176-2	176-2	176-2	176-2	176-2	176-9	176-9	176-6	181-0	
Manufactured articles.....	157-8	157-7	158-1	157-9	158-9	159-9	159-9	160-2	160-3	160-1	160-1	161-0	160-4	
Employment—														
Number unemployed ².....000	73	.....	.....	62	.....	.....	70	.....	.....	95	.....	.....	89	

¹ Middle of month.² Number of persons on the Registers of Employment Exchanges in Great Britain only.

**PUBLICATIONS ISSUED BY THE DOMINION BUREAU OF
STATISTICS DURING THE MONTH ENDED JUNE 16, 1945**

Population.—Interprovincial migration in Canada, 1931-1941 (Population: No. M-1) (English and French), 21 p.

Production.—Agricultural products—Canadian coarse grains, quarterly review, May 1945, V. 4, No. 3, \$1 a year. Farm wages in Canada, 1 p., 10 cents. Fruit and vegetable crop report, 4 p., \$1 a year. The grain situation in Argentina, June 7, 1945, 5 p. Telegraphic crop report, May 29, 1945, 4 p., June 12, 1945, 6 p., \$2 a year. Mineral products—The sand and gravel industry, 1943, 8 p., 25 cents.

Business Statistics.—Commercial failures in the first quarter of 1945, 4 p., 50 cents.

Employment Statistics.—Statistics of man-hours and hourly earnings as at April 1, with comparisons as at March 1, and February 1, 1945. 4 p., \$1 a year. Sex distribution of the persons in recorded employment at April 1, 1945, 17 p., 25 cents. Annual review of employment and payrolls in Canada, 1944, 79 p., \$1 a year.

Manufactures.—Food products—Ice cream production in Canada, 1943, 2 p., 15 cents. Textile products—Report on the hosiery, knitted goods and fabric glove and mitten industries in Canada, 1943, 29 p., 25 cents. Forest products—Estimate of forest production: operations in the woods in Canada, 1943 (English and French), 10 p., 25 cents. Preliminary report on the furniture industry in Canada, 1943 (English and French), 12 p., 15 cents. Preliminary report on the lumber industry in Canada, 1943 (English and French), 17 p., 35 cents. Iron and steel and their products—Iron and steel and their products in Canada, 1940-1942, 150 p., 50 cents. The aircraft industry, 1943. 7 p., 15 cents. The boilers, tanks and plate work industry in Canada, 1943, 9 p., 25 cents. Non-ferrous metals—Final summary statistics, 1943, 3 p., 15 cents. Non-metallic minerals—Final summary statistics, 1943, 3 p., 15 cents. The petroleum products industry in Canada, 1943, 21 p., 50 cents. Chemicals and allied products—Preliminary summary statistics, 1944, 3 p., 15 cents.

Census of Merchandising and Service Establishments.—Drug retailing in Canada, 1941, 12 p., 25 cents.

Transportation, Communications and Public Utilities.—Automobile statistics for Canada, 1943, 12 p., 50 cents. Canal statistics for the year ended December 31, 1944, 43 p., 25 cents. Central electric stations in Canada, 1943 (English and French), 41 p., 25 cents. Civil aviation, summary of monthly reports, 1944, 5 p., 10 cents. Express statistics for 1944, 8 p., 10 cents.

For the publications listed above application should be made to the Dominion Statistician, Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa.

The complete service of all publications issued by the Bureau (with the exception of news bulletins) may be obtained for a special rate of \$30 per annum.

Volume XX

Numéro 6

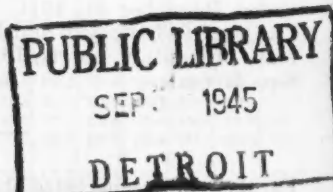
CANADA

BUREAU FÉDÉRAL DE LA STATISTIQUE
BRANCHE DE LA STATISTIQUE GÉNÉRALE

REVUE MENSUELLE
DE LA
SITUATION ÉCONOMIQUE

JUIN 1945

Publié par ordre de l'Hon. James A. MacKinnon, M.P.,
Ministre du Commerce



OTTAWA
EDMOND CLOUTIER
IMPRIMEUR DE SA TRÈS EXCELLENTE MAJESTÉ LE ROI
1945

Priz : Un dollar par an.

